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## LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS

### What the People's Representatives Have Been Doing

If the Senate passes Delegate Cochran's bill the oyster season of 1912 will be extended for 15 days after the regular period. The bill, which passed the House last Monday night, was introduced to aid persons engaged in the oyster industry who have been crippled by the hard freeze during the winter when oyster catching was practically impossible.

A favorable report will be returned on Delegate Campbell's bill providing an amendment to the franchise qualifications. By the Campbell measure all future voters in the State will be compelled to read and write 20 lines of the Constitution or prove that they own \$500 worth of property. The amendment will not apply to persons now possessing the franchise in Maryland.

The local option fight in the House, which will determine for this session whether the bill will become a law or be "killed," will be made for the third time on March 19. It is thought that the bill will be unfavorably reported.

The Speaker introduced a bill in the House to prevent extortion by hotels during Democratic National Convention and giving Public Service Commission authority to fix rates.

Delegate Metzger, of Prince George county, defied the authority of the Speaker, the sergeant-at-arms and the entire House of Delegates one night last week while explaining his vote on a bill. The insurrection broke out during the final passage of the Senate bill appropriating \$95,000 for the remodeling of the Fifth Regiment Armory at Baltimore for the Democratic National Convention. Though Delegate Metzger and several other Republicans objected, the bill was passed and now awaits the Governor's signature.

Notwithstanding the economy and frugality of the Committee on Claims, under Chairman McQuade, fear was expressed today by veterans in the House that the General Assembly will not be able to pull through the session on the appropriation of \$150,000, but will require at least \$300,000 additional to settle all obligations. Even at that, however, the cost of the session will be \$85,000, less than that of two years ago.

Senator Coady introduced a bill to prevent ticket scalping, which requires ticket carriers to redeem tickets or pay the cost of tickets not used by passengers, thus preventing their sustaining loss and keeping out of the hands of brokers.

Senator Milbourne introduced a bill to pay Benjamin F. Marsh for the loss of two vessels.

Mr. Cochran's House bill extending the harbor lines of Crisfield, was passed.

An unfavorable report from the Committee on Roads and Highways on Senator Dodson's bill (No. 241), providing the manner of construction of roads through incorporated towns of the State resulted in the bill being recommended.

By a close vote of 34 to 27 the House of Delegates upheld the Public Service Commission after caustic speeches against it.

Mr. Cochran introduced a bill amending the laws prohibiting taking of terrapin.

Mr. Webster's bill incorporating the Eastern Shore Light, Heat and Power Company was passed and Senator Milbourne introduced the bill in the Senate.

Three separate and in some respects widely differing United States Senators' primary bills were given initial readings in the Senate. One was written and introduced by Senator Lee, while President Price stands as sponsor for the other two.

Attorney General Poe, in an opinion rendered for the Senate, decided that the peace continue to hold office until their successors are appointed and are qualified.

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## OVATION FOR GOV. WILSON

### Makes Eloquent Address to The General Assembly

Dr. Woodrow Wilson, Governor of New Jersey, former president of Princeton, candidate for the Democratic nomination for President, was a guest of the General Assembly and a dinner guest of Governor Goldsborough Thursday evening. Governor Wilson went to Annapolis upon the invitation of the Senate and House of Delegates, Democrats and Republicans. His speech was almost wholly unpartisan. Governor Goldsborough introduced him and occupied a seat with him on the speaker's platform in the hall of the House of Delegates.

Among other things Governor Wilson came out in an unqualified manner in favor of the initiative, referendum and recall, but said there was no demand for the initiative and referendum in national affairs, and he opposed the recall of judges. He also thought that each State ought to decide these things for itself.

He endorsed the general movement throughout the country for direct primaries. He drew a sharp distinction between the organization and the machine and said he was for the organization but against the machine.

He also discussed the tariff and denounced the present system as one for the protection of machinery and products but not for the protection of men.

### Captain Roal Amundsen

#### Discovers The South Pole

A few days ago the report was current that Capt. Scott, an English officer had discovered the South Pole. It now turns out that the discovery is not to be credited to England but to Norway, the real discoverer being Capt. Roal Amundsen, a noted explorer. The information bearing upon his expedition is being reported from Hobart, Tasmania. The pole was located on December 14th last, upon a vast plateau alike in all directions. Ice mountains over ten thousand feet in height were covered and temperatures varying from 58 to 76 degrees below zero were experienced. The story of the explorer's adventures reads like fiction and is entertaining in the highest degree. Both poles now being found, the world will wait for the next important feat.

### Town Officials Organize

Mayors of Maryland cities and towns have effected a permanent organization and have made as a common cause the securing of legislation favorable to their respective communities and the general advancement of these communities.

Just now the mayors are united in a determination to secure the improvement of the streets of their cities and towns through the State Roads Commission. Under the present law no aid is forthcoming by the state to incorporated towns and villages. The mayors expect to accomplish other things in the future for the upbuilding of the cities and towns over which they preside.

The organization was effected at Annapolis last week and was brought about largely by Mayor Martin W. Higgins, of Eastern. Those who attended the initial meeting from this vicinity were: Princess Anne, J. D. Wallop; Crisfield, W. F. Hall; Pocomoke City, I. T. Costen; Snow Hill, W. D. Corddry, Jr.; Salisbury, W. F. Bounds.

### Salisbury to Have a

#### New Railroad Station

The long-talked-of railroad terminal station for Salisbury seems to be assured now, for last Thursday evening Superintendent Massey, of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk, and the general counsel of the road, Joshua W. Miles, were before the City Council, stating that plans were ready for submission to the contractors. They made a special request for the widening and opening of several streets to give the station the proper approaches and to beautify the locality of the cross-over of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad, which will also use the station. The new structure is to cost about \$25,000 and will be equipped in the most modern way. It will be constructed of brick and cement.

### Parcel Post Letter Day

By common agreement March 18th, has been selected as the day on which farmers everywhere are to "pepper" their congressmen at Washington with letters or postals urging support of a reasonable parcels post.

The American Agriculturist recommends that farmers and all those interested should send letters or postals to their representatives at Washington on March 18th and let them know that they want this much needed and beneficial system.

## PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS FOR PRINCESS ANNE

### Looking for Better Sewerage, Waterworks and Pavements

Below is given the texts of two bills looking to improved sewerage, waterworks and pavements in the town of Princess Anne. The bills, which explain themselves, were introduced in the Senate by Mr. Milbourne and both have been passed by that body and now go to the House.

An Act to authorize and empower the President and Commissioners of Princess Anne, in Somerset county, to issue bonds and to appropriate the proceeds arising from the sale thereof towards providing additional fire protection and establishing and maintaining a sewerage system and other improvements in said town, and to submit the question of the issue of said bonds to the qualified voters thereof for determination.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the President and Commissioners of Princess Anne, in Somerset county, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered, in their discretion, provided the election hereinafter directed results favorably thereto, to make an issue, at such time or times as the said President and Commissioners may deem necessary, bonds, either coupon or registered, to be called "Princess Anne Improvement Bonds," to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars, in sums of not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars, each, to be signed by the President of said corporation and countersigned by the clerk thereof, with the seal of said corporation affixed, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of September and March, in each and every year after date of said bonds, and the coupons or interest on said bonds shall be received in payment of taxes due said town, and the said bonds shall be exempt from all county and municipal taxation.

Section 2. And be it enacted, That said bonds shall be issued to mature as follows:—that is to say, five hundred dollars thereof in the year 1917, and annually thereafter the sum of five hundred dollars every year until all of said bonds shall be matured and have been paid; but the said corporation shall have the right, after the expiration of ten years from the date of the issue of said bonds and public notice by advertisement of its intention so to do, in all the newspapers of said town once a week for four successive weeks, six months before the date fixed for said purpose, to call in and redeem all said issue of bonds, and it shall be the duty of said corporation to immediately destroy said bonds when redeemed, and should said President and Commissioners, or any person having charge of the bonds or coupons, suffer the same or any part thereof to be released after payment, the said party or parties so offending shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to imprisonment, by Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, for embezzlement, and shall be held liable for an amount equal to that of the coupon or bond so released and the costs of the suit.

Section 3. And be it enacted, That the said President and Commissioners of Princess Anne shall levy annually upon the assessable property of said town a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on all of said bonds remaining outstanding and not then matured, and in addition thereto shall levy a tax sufficient to provide the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in each and every year, for the purpose of redeeming the said bonds, when and as the same shall mature, as hereinbefore provided.

Section 4. And be it enacted, That the said bonds, authorized and directed to be issued by this act, shall be sold by the President and Commissioners of Princess Anne for not less than they par value thereof, and the said bonds shall be value thereof, and the said bonds shall be disposed of at public auction at the courthouse door at Princess Anne to the highest bidder for cash, after notice by advertisement in all the newspapers of said town, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date of sale, and the proceeds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be applied, first, to the payment of any unsecured indebtedness heretofore incurred by the President and Commissioners of Princess Anne, on account of the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of the present system of waterworks, not heretofore provided for by bond issue, and the balance of said proceeds shall be used by the said President and Commissioners of Princess Anne for the repairing, reconstruction (and extending the system of waterworks in the town of Princess Anne, and the construction of a sewerage system in said town, as hereinafter provided.

Section 5. And be it enacted, That before the said bonds may be issued, the President and Commissioners shall cause the question of the issue of said bonds to be submitted to the qualified voters of said town at the next regular election thereof, and should the vote be in favor of the issue of said bonds, the President and Commissioners shall proceed to issue the same.

### Rev. Walter R. Rhodes

#### Ends Life With Pistol

Believed to have been suffering from melancholia, Rev. Walter R. Rhodes, pastor of Onancock (Virginia) Baptist Church and formerly pastor of Second Baptist Church, at Orleans and Lucerne streets, Baltimore, shot himself through the head with a revolver about 10 o'clock last Tuesday morning, while he sat at the edge of his bed at the Caswell Hotel, Baltimore. He took aim with the aid of a looking-glass propped upon the floor in front of him. The bullet went through his head and lodged in the wall opposite, death resulted instantly. He was 41 years old and is survived by a widow and two children—a boy and a girl.

## PRINCETON'S ALUMNI GRAVES

### Grave of Another Member of the First Class Found

Mr. Harry Pringle Ford, formerly of this county, but for many years connected with the Presbyterian Board of Publication in Philadelphia, recently contributed the following interesting article to the New York Observer:

I was much interested in the article by the Rev. J. R. Graham, entitled, "The Graves of Princeton's First Alumni," which appeared in The New York Observer of January 25, 1912.

Mr. Graham claims the Rev. Milton Blain as the first graduate of the Seminary, in the class of 1815, because he comes first on the list alphabetically. I find that one would have to go to the fourth letter of the name to maintain this claim over the Rev. Henry Blatchford, a member of the same class, which numbered sixteen.

Mr. Blatchford was born in Devonshire, England, December 4, 1788, came to America in 1795, and was graduated by Union College in 1811. From 1812 to 1815 he attended Princeton Seminary, and was ordained by the Presbytery of New York November 28, 1815. He was pastor of the Irish church (Seventh church), New York, from 1815 to 1818. In June, 1822, he accepted an invitation to take charge of the churches at Snow Hill, Pitts Creek, Rehoboth and Manokin, on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, in "Makemeland."

His work here was destined to be brief. He preached in Snow Hill in August, 1822, and less than two weeks later he died in Princess Anne, the seat of the Manokin church—Saturday, September 7. A young gentleman of Snow Hill, Irving Spence, thus wrote of the funeral service:

"You know I have visited Princess Anne very many times, in fact, have spent much time there; but never did I see that village so quiet on any day as on that one—it was a Sabbath stillness indeed. The people of the place, of all classes, were not only grave but seemed awed, and their sensibilities were certainly tenderly alive. Princess Anne never looked so lovely. The funeral services were performed in the church and at the grave. In the absence of a Presbyterian minister, an Episcopalian clergyman preached a sermon on the occasion. He was assisted in the other services by two brethren of the Methodist Episcopal Church. I have been in many worshipping assemblies, but that certainly was one of the most solemn and tender congregations of which I ever made a part."

The four congregations to which he had ministered placed a neat white marble slab over his grave in the churchyard of the Manokin church, but this was badly broken one night by a wretched drunkard. In 1905 Mrs. R. C. Scudder, of East Lexington, Mass., a daughter of Mr. Blatchford, had the stone replaced by a handsome granite slab, which bears the following inscription:

"In memory of the Reverend Henry Blatchford, A. M., the eldest son of the Rev. Samuel Blatchford, D. D., of Lansingburg, N. Y. He died September 7, 1822, in the thirty-fourth year of his age. As a son, a brother, a husband and a father his virtues were eminently conspicuous. As a Christian and a minister he was distinguished for his humility, his piety and his zeal. All who knew him loved him. He was removed in the midst of his labors in this vicinity from the work of the vineyard to the rewards of the blessed, and as a pledge of tender Christian regard this tomb is placed over his remains by the congregations of Manokin, Rehoboth, Pitts Creek and Snow Hill."

The above was the original inscription, to which has been added:

"The erection of this memorial stone in 1905 is a restoration of the original stone erected soon after Mr. Blatchford's death, which, in the meantime, had become seriously injured and broken."

The memory of Mr. Blatchford is still tenderly treasured by the Manokin congregation, and his grave is one of the most conspicuous of those in the well-cared for graveyard. A church stood here probably as early as 1630. The present venerable edifice was erected in 1755, during the pastorate of the Rev. Jacob Ker.

### For Cape Charles Public

Senator Swanson has in the Virginia Senate \$50,000 for the purchase of a Federal building at Cape Charles to house the post office and other offices.

## NEW STEAMBOAT PLAN UNDERWAY

### Maryland Company to Cover a Wide Field

At a meeting of the Maryland Steamboat Company, in the Fidelity and Trust Building, Baltimore last Wednesday, George D. Weaver, head of the firm of Philip Weaver & Sons, tugboat owners, was elected president of the company, and W. P. Lawson was chosen vice president and general manager. Lewis C. Caltrider, a retired merchant and extensive farmer of Baltimore county, was elected treasurer, and Roland B. Haynie was re-elected secretary. Attorneys Benson and Carr, in whose law offices the board of directors held their meeting, were appointed counsel for the company. The by-laws of the corporation were adopted at the meeting and the following executive committee nominated: George D. Weaver, chairman; W. P. Lawson, Lewis C. Caltrider, A. R. Crockett, W. A. Edwards, John M. Gressitt and Edward A. Straum.

Among the most important of the official business transacted was the matter of accepting the proposition of the United States Express Company to carry their expressage over the lines of the Maryland Steamboat Company. The officials of the company have agreed to sell \$500,000 of preferred stock at par and to allow all the common stock to remain in the treasury until all the preferred stock is sold.

C. C. Brown, one of the company's representatives, left for Cambridge to be followed at the end of the week by the yacht Old Glory, which has been equipped for a two-weeks' cruise to cover the entire route of the company, touching at all the important points on the Eastern and Western shores of Maryland and Virginia. During the cruise contracts will be given out to various construction firms for the erection of piers, wharves, etc., and other important business will be transacted. At Deal's Island the Maryland Steamboat Company will build a pier 300 feet long. The pier at Crisfield will be practically rebuilt and lengthened by several hundred feet.

### Champ Clark's Reward

If the Biblical measure of recognition for faithful service still is applicable, Champ Clark deserves well at the hands of the Democratic party in his aspiration for higher duties. Although besieged by invitations to address Legislatures and other gatherings, an address before the Maryland Legislature at Annapolis is his only prospective public utterance until Congress adjourns. "I am trying my everlasting best," he says, "to keep a quorum here for the transaction of public business, and I cannot with a straight face, insist on other members staying here unless I set them a good example by staying here myself."

Aside from the question of merit and just reward, a firmly fixed and satisfactorily-tested stay-at-home habit ought to be the basis of a winning plank in the platform of any Presidential aspirant. In these days of perambulating executives and ready talkers, the splendid isolation of a man who would stay on his job and save his breath for occasions when his utterances would attain something of the weight and dignity of Presidential opinions ought to count as something of an asset even in the popular estimate.—Evening Bulletin.

### Illegal Checks

There seems to be a general ignorance of the law enacted by Congress in 1909 making checks of less than one dollar illegal. A Kent county man wrote Congressman Covington about the matter and received the following information:

S. 2982—An act to codify, revise and amend the penal laws of the United States. Approved March 9, 1909. effect Jan. 1, 1910.

Sec. 178—No person shall issue, circulate or pay out a check, memorandum, note or obligation for a less sum than one dollar, intended to circulate, to be received or used as money of the United States, or to be paid by a person so offending, more than five years, or imprisoned not more than one year.

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## His Trophies.

Micky and Pat had been at school together, but had drifted apart in after life. They met one day, and the conversation turned on athletics.

"Did you ever meet my brother Dennis?" asked Pat. "He won a gold medal in a Marathon race."

"Dennis?" replied Mike, "sure, and that's fine! But did I ever tell you about my uncle at Ballythomas?"

Pat agreed that he could not call the

gent to mind.

"Well," said Mike, "he's got a gold medal for five miles and one for ten miles, a silver medal for swimming, two cups for wrestling and a lot of badges for boxing and cycling."

"Egorra," said Pat, "he must be a great athlete, indeed!"

"Dennis," came the reply, "and you are wrong! He keeps the pawnshop!"

—London, Telegraph.

## Tanned Skin.

In the majority of cases tanned skin is an indication of health. It is a condition resulting from the action of chemical rays or of the ultra violet rays of the sun on the pigment of the skin. Tan may be produced also by exposure to the rays of a mercury lamp or it may be caused electrically. But in these cases it is no indication of the state of health. It does not mean that there has been a multiplication of red corpuscles in the blood, such as follows healthful exercise in the open air. The tan acquired by the skin at sea or ashore as a result of life and exercise in the open air is always a sign of health, for the reason that it is accompanied by general conditions that do not obtain in the case of electric tan. —New York Times.

## Altitude Lessens Tongues.

"Workmen on high buildings have prejudices that must be respected," said a contractor. "A sedate, well balanced man never likes a talkative neighbor. Height unbalances some men's tongues. Men who are decidedly uncommunicative at street level lay their souls bare 200 feet above ground. That loquacity does not impair their own efficiency. They lay brick or chisel stone just as skillfully, no matter how fast they talk, but their chatter gets on the nerves of other men whose speech is not accelerated by altitude." —New York Press.

## Presidents Then and Now.

When Thomas Nickerson, who was president of the Santa Fe before it struck oil, wanted to take a ride he carried his lunch and took a berth with the way freight. That isn't the way of all American railway presidents. —Railroad Man's Magazine.

## Matter of Economy.

Mildred — They were married in haste, I understand? Eleanor — Yes, they had engaged a taxicab by the hour, so they requested the minister to hurry. —Exchange.

## Sometimes.

"Does the office ever really seek the man?"

"Well, yes, sometimes—for instance, when the cashier skips to Canada." —Washington Herald.

## Life and Age.

Life does not count by years. Some suffer a lifetime in a day and so grow old between the rising and the setting of the sun. —Augusta Evans.

Starting market young men temperate, is the comfort of old age, ending for wealth with poverty and ending as an ornament to riches.

## Back of Death.

Two doctors told me to live. This was by Still Col. They consumption, best lung King's d, for

## A DEAL IN STOCKS.

Comment of the Man Who Witnessed the Quick Transaction.

Sitting at his desk on the tenth floor of a Wall street building the man in charge of the investment department of a Stock Exchange house was discussing the bond market with a visitor. A message from the telephone room was laid upon his desk. "Pardon me," he said to his visitor as he picked up his telephone instrument and asked for a Philadelphia connection. He immediately replaced the receiver, and the discussion of the bond market was resumed. The telephone bell rang. "Pardon me," said the investment expert again, as he lifted the telephone instrument. "I'll take those fifty shares," he said into the telephone.

Evidently he got them. He broke off the connection, wrote a message for the wire and sent it off to the telegraph room by a boy. The discussion of the bond market was resumed once more and continued until another message came from the wire room. The investment expert merely glanced at it and went on with the conversation.

His visitor broke in to ask a question. "Do you mind telling me the nature of that transaction you have just concluded?" "Just then?" said the investment expert. "Why, I bought fifty shares of an investment stock in Philadelphia by telephone and sold them in Columbus, O., by our private telegraph wire. What about it?" "Oh, nothing," said the visitor, "only it occurred to me that a few years ago it might have taken four weeks instead of four minutes to do it." Then they went on with their talk about the bond market. —New York Post.

## His Preference.

A distinguished eye surgeon tells a good story of his hospital days. Three other young, newly fledged oculists, and himself were chatting in their quarters in the hospital when the conversation turned, as was natural in young men, upon the beauty of different colors of eyes. One championed the superior brilliancy and sparkle of the blue eye, another the depth and fire of the brown, while the third was all for the clear, cool light of the hazel. After they had exhausted their eloquence, with the usual effect of confirming themselves in their original opinions, the fourth young sawbones suddenly broke in: "I don't care a fig about your blue eyes or your brown eyes or your gray eyes! Just give me sore eyes and plenty of 'em, and I'm happy." —Saturday Evening Post.

## London's First Directory.

How did the world do its business before the publication of directories? The huge directory of London had its first printed forerunner in a slim little volume, "A Collection of the Names of the Merchants Living in and Around the City of London," issued by Samuel Lee of Lombard street in 1677. It was the outcome most probably of the enterprise of Henry Robinson, a well known writer on commercial matters, who in 1670 opened an office in Threadneedle street, where were kept "particular registers of all manner of addresses" for the use of all who cared to get a signpost. —London Chronicle.



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## My Diplomatic Mission

It Was My First and My Last

By F. A. MITCHEL

I am the daughter of an American admiral. When my father was retired he joined us in Washington, where we lived. At his death, his income being cut off, I found it necessary to do something to add to the small income of my mother and was given a clerkship in the navy department, but the salary was small, and I confess I looked forward to the humdrum life before me with dislike.

Notwithstanding our limited resources I maintained my position in society. Washington does not suffer socially from commercialism as other American cities. I was invited just as often after my entrance upon my clerkship as before. Indeed, I occupied a better social status than many newly rich people who, having suddenly acquired wealth, settled in Washington to spend it.

One evening during a reception at the White House the wife of a member of the Russian diplomatic corps sought me out and drew me away from the throng for a chat. She gradually led the conversation upon myself and asked me how I would like to enter the diplomatic service. Upon asking her what she meant she explained that diplomacy was synonymous with chicaneury. There was a constant effort between the diplomats of the world to get possession of each other's secrets and thus forestall action. I was interested, and the lady proceeded to tell me that women were usually mixed up in these affairs and were relied upon principally by their husbands to extract information from their diplomatic rivals. Then, after pledging me to secrecy, she told me that the Russian embassy was at that time in want of an attractive woman to obtain a secret from a diplomat and that she would be paid liberally for the service rendered.

Of course the lady was sounding me to learn if I would undertake the matter. I neither accepted nor declined, leaving her, intending to think it over. I did think it over and came to a decision that may be considered peculiar. I determined that I would not dishonor my father's name by becoming a spy; but, being infatuated with the idea of swimming in that undercurrent of duplicity that had been mentioned, I resolved to accept the offer, but not for pay. I had an object in view that concerned my own individual self far more than Russia. When I had made up my mind I called on the lady who had been given the commission to employ me and told her I was ready to listen to a proposition.

I dare say that this may be considered whipping conscience around the stump, but at the time I was not aware of doing anything dishonorable. I was employed by the Russian embassy—no particular person in it was specified—to get a secret from the secretary of legation of Great Britain. It was suspected by the Russians that England was making a secret treaty with the submarine ports. Russia has always been at issue with the other European powers as to Turkey, and ever since the Czar Nicholas I. was outwitted by the British minister, just previous to the Crimean war, Russia has been eager to get even with England by some sharp diplomatic move. I was therefore employed to draw this secret from Edward Cathorne, who would surely be cognizant of it, who had chosen diplomacy as a profession and was expecting soon to be raised to the rank of ambassador.

At the next important social function, given by the secretary of state, a member of the Austrian embassy asked permission to present his friend Edward Cathorne. What the Austrian had to do with the matter I did not know. Evidently he was either in some way connected with the plot or was being made a tool of. This was not clear to me. I experienced a momentary sensation of pleasure at being employed in the wilderness of diplomatic chicaneury. I graciously accepted the introduction and found Mr. Cathorne very agreeable. Indeed, he was the best type of English gentleman, not only in every way desirable. I was seated at this first meeting, and I was connected with the work I had undertaken. I simply endeavored to make myself as agreeable as possible to him. I saw at once that he was an intellectual man, and I treated him accordingly—that is, I talked of anything but weighty matters. (This makes a mistake in thinking that men of deeply wish deep women for companions. One might as well expect a lawyer to talk law for amusement. However, I permitted Mr. Cathorne to do most of the talking, leaving him to chat as he liked. Small talk is all that can be introduced at social functions anyway.)

Mr. Cathorne asked permission to call upon me, which was, of course, granted. We occupied the same house as when my father lived, a two story brick near — circle, and it had in it all the attractiveness of simplicity. My visitor told me during the evening that he would sail for England on leave of absence the next week. I told him that I was about to go abroad, and by comparing notes it turned out that I had engaged my passage on the same steamer on which he had engaged his—that is, I knew my friends of the

Russian embassy would do my bidding in the matter. Mr. Cathorne seemed very much pleased to have my company on the voyage and offered his mother's and sister's hospitality during my stay in England.

I was offered a passage across the ocean and ample funds for other expenses by my employers, but Mr. Cathorne knew that I was not able to travel expensively so I chose one of the poorest staterooms and declined to accept anything from the Russian embassy until I had finished my work. Fortunately I had enough for the purpose saved from my salary. I offered to resign my position in the navy department, but on account of my father's services was given a leave of absence. I learned afterward that those who sent me on my mission were much puzzled at my declining to be furnished with funds. But they continued to be puzzled till they heard definitely from me later, for I gave them no satisfactory explanation. I also learned that from this time they began to doubt me and took measures to get the information they desired through other parties.

Mr. Cathorne was devoted to me on the voyage. He talked about everything except diplomacy, on which he maintained a rigid silence. I did not make the slightest attempt to draw him out in that line. Any effort to do so would have aroused suspicion. But it was not in accordance with my plan to draw him out. Something far deeper was in my mind. Besides, I soon learned from him what was necessary for me to know. He told me that he would remain at home only long enough to make a report at the foreign office in London, after which he would take a little trip on the continent. I well knew that this meant a visit to the sultan of Turkey.

Everybody knows what an ocean voyage is for matchmaking. We had not reached England before Mr. Cathorne and I were engaged in what in America we call a flirtation. The flirting, however, if it really was flirting, was all on one side. An Englishman is not an adept in such affairs. The game at which he is especially expert is not the game of love, but of diplomacy. I was content, for the time being at least, to let him have his own way at the game of diplomacy provided I could have mine at the game of love.

I had not been in England eighteen hours before I received an invitation from a sister of Mr. Cathorne to visit the family home, near London. I spent several days there, during which, I fear, the visiting was rather between Mr. Cathorne and me than between me and his mother and sisters. Our affair reached a crisis one evening when he told me that he must run over the next morning to Paris on business. Before going he told me what I had been hoping for—not his diplomatic secret, but that he wished me to be his wife.

Before parting with him that evening I was not to see him the next morning—he admitted that he was going farther than Paris. I asked him if he was going still farther, and he finally admitted that he would not stop till he reached Constantinople. I asked him why he was going there, and he declined to tell me. I remonstrated with him, saying that a promised wife should share all her fiancé's secrets.

"Not his government's secrets." I threw my arms around his neck, laughed and said:

"You're going to Constantinople on the matter of a treaty between England and Turkey."

Disengaging himself from me, he looked at me with astonishment.

I told him that I had been employed by whom I would not say—to get a knowledge of that treaty; that I had accepted the offer for the fun of the thing and had declined to receive even the money for my expenses. He demanded to know who had employed me, and I refused to answer. That, I considered, would be dishonorable.

Had I set out with the intention of springing upon him his love—for, one would have turned to hate, even though I had weakened on the way through love for him. My action was incomprehensible to him. He became convinced that I had had from the first no intention of getting any diplomatic knowledge from him, but he could not understand the reason I gave him for coming upon the matter. He said that I had yielded to a desire to see something of the undercurrent of European life. It was the reason, as he did not understand, and that the time was another reason for leaving the matter.

And now it is time that I give the reason. Before I made up my mind to give the Russian offer I had not to me that Edward Cathorne was to be the man I was to marry upon. I had seen him often, and the moment I first looked upon him the little god shot one of his deadly arrows into me. But I had not had an opportunity of meeting the man I worshipped. The Russian offer I regarded as a possible means, at least an opportunity, to win him.

He did not feel easy about me for a long while, but I brought him around in time, and we were married. I made it a condition that he should not return to Washington. I didn't like the prospect of facing the diplomats who had employed me to do their spying. I having married the man I was to spy upon. I learned, however, long afterward that they had a very high opinion of me since they had learned that I would not give them away even to my own husband.

I have continued to be a diplomat's wife at many courts, but the diplomatic effort by which I received a husband is the only one of my life. I am quite content to leave the chicaneury of the service to others.

## THE NATIONAL GRANGE

Conducted by Charles M. Gardner, Editor of the National Grange, Westfield, Mass.

### WHERE MOVEMENT IS STRONG

Washington State Superintendent Reports Great Progress of the Movement in That Western State.

The following extract from the last report of State Master C. B. Kegley of Washington gives an illuminating view of the position to which the grange has arrived in that far western state and indicates much for grange influence and power in the future if wisely directed. Mr. Kegley says:

"The grange is now the dominant non-partisan political influence in the state of Washington. We will carry the initiative and referendum and recall by one of the largest votes ever given to a Constitutional amendment. The grange good roads movement has utterly confounded the automobile boulevard schemers and wild land exploiters. How successfully these self-seekers have been blocked is shown by the bitterness of their attack. Equal suffrage has proven even of more importance in purifying politics than was ever predicted for it by its most ardent friends. The city of Seattle, long dominated by a vicious political ring, was cleaned up in recalling Mayor Gill, and thus securing the dismissal of the chief of police. In no other way could this have been accomplished than by giving our women a voice in public affairs equal to that of the men. Thus the great blot on the government of our large cities of police graft and protection of criminals was wiped out in the leading city of our state as a result of giving the women the vote and placing in their hands the power of recalling and dismissing from office unworthy public servants. Patrons, liberty and the recall go hand in hand.

"During the past two or three years we have had in Washington a growing appreciation of the dangers that menace a farmer organization when it becomes an acknowledged power in the state. We are beginning to experience some of the difficulties that confronted the pioneers in grange work in Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois and other middle western states. While we were weak in numbers no attention whatever was paid to the grange by the great corporate interests which in all new, rapidly developing territory have fastened their strange hold on the people, thus controlling all legislation that would restrain them in their mad rush to gobble up all valuable natural resources and monopolies. As soon as the grange had demonstrated its strength in numbers and influence, the political representatives of these great monopolies—corporation attorneys, etc.—are by every device known securing a hold in some of our subordinates. Some, finding it difficult to secure admission in granges near at home or their places of business, secure membership in some remote grange, then quickly taking their demit to their grange near their home, membership in which could not have been secured in any other way. Others of these schemers, who seek to control the grange for special interests, take advantage of the cry 'back to the farm' and secure a tract of land, large or small, and at once press their claim to a right to membership in the grange. We congratulate ourselves that thus far we have been very fortunate in escaping this destroying plague of the farmer movements. But we are alive to the danger and we realize fully that once these parasites have fastened themselves on their state organization, as was done in the middle western states in the early years of the grange, it will only be a case of history repeating itself."

### National Treasurer's Statement.

Financial strength is a pretty valuable asset in any organization and has gone to pieces because this valuable asset was lacking. Whether the National Grange is strong in this respect or not can be judged by the following statement made by the national treasurer, in reporting for the past year:

"The total assets of the National Grange as reported October 1, 1910, were \$113,656.58, and the total assets October 1, 1911, were \$113,030.04, showing a decrease of \$626.54, largely due to the cost of extension work authorized at the last session. The total assets of the National Grange at the close of the fiscal year in 1901 were \$62,440.95, showing a net gain in cash assets during the ten-year period of \$51,624.09, during which time there has been a net gain in paid membership of 305,745."

### Quick Promotion Record.

A Massachusetts young man has made the record for quick promotion in the Grange. November 4, 1911, he took his first degree in Duxbury Grange No. 288. Two weeks later he received the final degrees and so became a full-fledged fourth degree member of the order. Three weeks later he took the fifth or Pomona Grange degree, and on December 13th he took the sixth degree at Worcester, which made him a member of the Massachusetts State Grange. On December 20th he was elected an officer in Duxbury Grange and on January 16th he was formally installed there. And the young man in question has but just passed his 15th birthday!

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WILLIAM T. DAVIS,

late of Somerset county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before the

Sixth Day of August, 1912.

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 30th day of January, 1912.

SUE B. DAVIS,

Administrators of William T. Davis dec'd.

True Copy. Test—SIDNEY WALLER, Register of Wills.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—This is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court for Somerset County letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

JOHN H. MUIR,

late of Somerset county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before the

Twenty-third day of July, 1912.

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 16th day of January, 1912.

MARY L. MUIR,

Executrix of John H. Muir, deceased.

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### In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of my dear husband, George E. Wallace, who departed this life one year ago to-day, March 12th, 1911. Loved in life remembered in death. Just one year ago the boatman paused awhile beside our door, To convey a tired sailor safe unto the other shore; To that shore beyond the river, where the surges cease to roll, Where in all the bright forever sorrow ne'er shall press the soul.  
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## NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Somerset and Worcester Counties will be held at their office in Princess Anne, Maryland, on

WEDNESDAY,

The 27th Day of March, 1912,

AT 11 o'clock A. M.,

for the purpose of electing twelve Directors to serve for the ensuing year.  
HENRY J. WATERS,  
Secretary.

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## HOME TOWN HELPS

### BETTER HOUSING CALLED FOR

Community Can Not Be Made Attractive Without the Co-operation of the Builder.

"The housing problem is one of the most important aspects of home development and good homes are the keystone of the whole social arch," writes Edward T. Hartman, secretary of the Massachusetts Civic League, in the annual report of that organization. Mr. Hartman discusses the housing problem in towns, and says in part:

"I want particularly to mention three aspects of the housing problem; the aesthetic, the social and the economic. For many years we have had in Massachusetts a succession of short-lived organizations developed to improve the appearance of towns. They have in the main died because their aim was superficial. Beauty cannot easily be grafted upon rottenness. People are beginning to see that in a town in which every house is of good design and in which maintenance work is carefully looked after, there are those elements of art which when combined make for a beautiful community.

"The social aspects of the housing problem are enough, it seems to me, to cause every one of us to re-estimate the values of the items covered in our efforts for social advance. Bad homes are responsible for a large percentage of the immorality which the churches are trying to cure; they are responsible for a large part of the sickness the hospitals, dispensaries and nurses are trying to cure, and directly or through immorality or sickness they are responsible for much of the poverty the charities are trying to cure.

"The economic aspects of the housing problem are serious. Towns get, as a rule, that for which they bid. That is, if force of circumstances brings a large number of people to a town, the quality of these people will depend in large measure on the kind of homes which are offered them. If the people have to content themselves with the abandoned dwellings, out-buildings and similar inferior homes, they will be of an inferior type of people, because self-respecting people will not live in such homes.

"But when the people coming into a town are offered attractive homes on well planned streets self-respecting people will come, they will increase the taxable value of the town, they will pay their way through the schools, the streets and elsewhere, and they will decrease the per capita demand for all the remedial institutions.

"It is not enough to develop good homes. They must be maintained in a good condition. There is therefore a call for an active local healthy authority. To meet its conditions and needs every town must have a good law, the efficient enforcement of which will give the town what it needs in the way of houses, and it must have an active board of health that will see that houses are always kept clean and sanitary."

### To Beautify Vacant Lots.

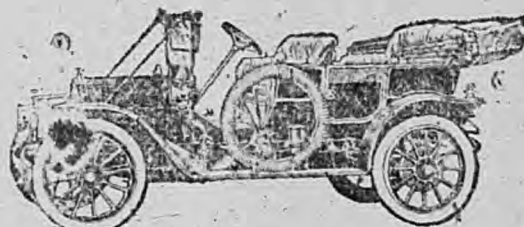
Vacant lots will prove more valuable from a viewpoint of attractiveness if nothing else is the idea of a manager of a San Bernardino (Cal.) Insurance, loan and land company, who is making arrangements to set out thousands of deciduous fruit trees on the lots owned by the company, in various parts of the city.

These lots are at present barren in many respects, and through the planting of the fruit trees the appearance of the lot will be very much improved. Not only that, but it is figured that it will be more attractive to the buyer, and the results to buyer and company alike will be much greater.

It is the plan of the company to set the trees out and to have a competent horticulturist to care for them while they are adapting themselves to the soil in which they are planted. From ten to twelve or more fruit trees will be planted on each lot.

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### Items From Deal's Island.

DEAL'S ISLAND, MD., March 9th, 1912  
Mrs. T. P. Bradshaw is still on the sick list.

Miss Reta Anderson, who has been on a visit to Salisbury, has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Webster are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Webster.

Mr. H. J. Bradshaw spent several days of last week at home with his parents.

Miss May Thomas, who has been visiting friends in Salisbury, has returned home.

Miss Gussie Webster, of Baltimore, is visiting friends and relatives on the Island.

Miss Saydie Webster is in Baltimore, in preparation for the Spring millinery season.

Mr. T. P. Bradshaw, who is at Annapolis for the winter, spent last week at home with his family.

Mr. Bayard White, of Philadelphia and Atlantic City, spent several days on the Island last week.

A Drama, entitled "Fruit of His Folly," will be rendered at the K. of P. Hall next Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Webster, of Baltimore, were the guests of friends and relatives a few days last week.

The last meeting of the Leap Year Club was held at the home of Mr. Hicks Bozman on Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. H. C. Webster and daughters, Esther and Dorothy, have returned home from a visit to Baltimore and elsewhere.

Miss May Anderson, accompanied by her milliner, Miss Fannie Porter, has gone to Baltimore, preparatory to the Spring season.

Mr. R. L. Corkran has returned from Baltimore, where he attended the Maryland High School Teachers' Association, which met in Levering Hall. He reports a large attendance, interesting discussions and instructive lectures given.

The Principal of the High School is endeavoring to bring impressively before the pupils of his department the facts and truths of alcoholism as presented in a speech by the Hon. Richmond P. Hobson in the House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., early in February, entitled the "Great Destroyer." He wishes to leave the impression that alcohol is conclusively and undeniably proven by science to be poison and should be controlled just as other drugs.

### Change Inauguration Day.

When Benjamin Harrison was inducted into office, the crowd which gathered to honor him was "drenched to the skin by a cold rain." Grover Cleveland's second inauguration took place in alternate snow and rain that was followed by a harvest of pneumonia. A cold, driving rain swept Pennsylvania avenue at the second inauguration of McKinley, and a small crowd stood under umbrellas to hear his inaugural address. Roosevelt had fair weather—"Roosevelt luck."

Not one of the thousands who went to Washington, or tried to get there, will ever forget the day Taft took office. The Weather Bureau predicted fair weather; but a "flareback" brought one of the worst snow and sleet storms on record. Railways were blocked, trains left stranded, wires and poles swept down and Washington for a time was cut off from communication with the outside world. Some of the troops never did arrive; others landed the next day, and the President gave a second review for them. Thousands, penned up in the city and held on trains, suffered; hundreds of cases of grip and pneumonia followed.

Yesterday, though not so severe as as some March 4 days, recalls what we must expect at this time of year and emphasizes afresh the necessity for a change in the date of inauguration.

In view of all this, it is difficult to see how Congress can fail to pass the bill changing Inauguration Day to some time when we are certain of better weather. The bill has been pending for nearly three years. Another inauguration is approaching. Taft's administration has been a stormy as the day that ushered it in. Democrats desire fair weather when they gather in Washington next year to inaugurate the first Democratic President since Grover Cleveland. Congress should abandon March 4, with its sleet, snow and "flarebacks," and give us a beautiful spring day when the worst day is only an April shower, when the skies are usually clear and nature smiles with approval upon the new Chief Executive.—Baltimore Sun.

## The WATCH Man

### Repels Attack of Death.

"Five years ago two doctors told I had only two years to live." T. startling statement was made by St. man Green, Malchite, Col. "I told me I would die with consumpti It was up to me to try the best medicine and I began to use Dr. Kin New Discovery. I believe I o today I am working my life to this cure that has ch another victim." with coughs, colds, lung troubles now, safest. Price 50 Trial bottle free Drug Store.

### Items From Perryhawkin.

PERRYHAWKIN, MD., March 8th, 1912.  
Mr. J. W. West has returned home after spending several days in Annapolis.

Mr. Kirk Somers, of Crisfield, arrived last week to spend some time with relatives at this place.

Mr. F. H. Dykes spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives at Fruitland and Salisbury.

The Literary Society will meet in the public school house at Perryhawkin Wednesday evening, March 13th.

Mr. James Beach, who recently sold his farm to Mr. Emory Pusey, of near here, has left here for the state of New York.

Mr. Ernest Dryden, of Cape Charles, Va., after visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Dryden, has returned home.

Miss Bernice Parsons and Mr. Herman Parsons, of near Snow Hill, are spending sometime at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. C. Gibbons.

Miss Lethia Culver, who attends the High School at Pocomoke City, is at home this week because of the school being closed on account of scarlet fever.

Mrs. Preston Townsend and her daughter, Mrs. Zadock Holstein, of Newark, Worcester county, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ponder C. Culver.

Miss Carrie Howard, and Mr. Ernest Howard, of Pitts Creek, Worcester county, after spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodland Culver have returned home.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Butler, Friday evening of last week; quite a number were present and spent an enjoyable evening. Refreshments were served at 9.30 o'clock.

The young people of this community will give an entertainment in the school house at Perryhawkin Friday evening, March 15th. A drama will be given as part of the exercise. Admission for all twelve years old and under, 5 cents; all over 12 years, 10 cents.

The Literary Society met in the public school house at Perryhawkin, and was called to order by the Vice-President, Mr. Benj. T. Dykes. The program was as follows: Song by the Society quartette, Messrs. Norman and Harold Dryden, Clayton Mariner, and Albert Renels. The debate was, "Resolved, That intemperance destroys more lives than war, famine and pestilence combined." The affirmatives were Messrs. T. J. Adams, Robert Harris and Harry Miller; negatives, Messrs. Noah Gibbons, Johnnie Taylor and Glen Butler. The Judges—Messrs. Durant West F. W. Mariner and Woodland Dryden decided in favor of the affirmative.

### Items from West.

WEST, MD., March 8th, 1912.  
Fox hunters have been having quite a lot of sport for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Emma Daugherty, of Perryhawkin, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Mary Ruark.

Miss Virgie Hayman, of Salisbury, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hayman.

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Norris and children, who have been visiting in Baltimore, have returned home.

Mr. David Rounds and Mr. L. Bridell, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. J. F. Rounds.  
Mr. and Mr. Austin Pusey and son, Glenmore, of Salisbury, are visiting Mrs. Pusey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hayman.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Lankford and little daughter, Elizabeth, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Lankford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fooks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bailey and little grandson, Ralph Ruark, of Salisbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of Mr. William H. Ruark.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cantwell and daughter, May, of Shad Point, Wicomico county, spent last Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Cantwell.

The most delightful dance of the season was given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Ball. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Dykes, Misses Ethel Travis, Laura Crissie Edith F. Ball, Stella Dykes, George Crissie, Marian M. Ruark, Inez Lester Elizabeth E. Ball, and Messrs. Raymond Hitch, Trigg Peterman, Charlie Rounds, Cleveland Rounds, Walter McAllen, Clifford Peterman, Warren Pusey, Walter Ellis, Gorman Pusey, Orland Ruark, Edward Crissie, James Braxton ham, Sylvester Dykes. Music for the occasion was furnished by Mr. John Hitch, violinist, and Mrs. Marion Pryor, banjoist. After spending a very enjoyable evening all left for their home at a late hour.

### William M. Abbot Dead.

After an illness, extending over period of about two years, Judge William M. Abbot, for the last 28 years editor and publisher of the Annapolis Evening Capital, and formerly Judge of the Anne Arundel county Orphan Court, died this morning at his residence short before 9 o'clock. His day mourning had been observed. His funeral day would have been yesterday.

In May, 1911, he published the Evening Capital, a daily newspaper, there was then regarded as a doubtful venture, but it gained a number of competitors and remains as a monument to his memory.



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## LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS

### What the People's Representatives Have Been Doing

The fight between the Democratic State Senate and Governor Goldsborough centres about the appointments of members of the State Board of Education and of the various Boards of school Commissioners in the 23 counties of Maryland. It is in the power of the Senate to refuse to confirm. Should it do this the men now in office will continue to serve until their successors are confirmed, even if this confirmation is indefinitely delayed. The appointment of John O. Spencer as a member of the State Board, of A. A. Blakeney as a commissioner for Baltimore county and of E. S. Furbush as a Commissioner for Worcester county holds the trouble between Governor Goldsborough and the Democratic Senate.

The Education Committee reported favorably Senator Bosley's bill regulating the minimum attendance of school children as related to the salaries of teachers, the object of the bill being to increase the average attendance of pupils from 15 to 16, to insure the minimum salary under the law.

Two years ago, when the Legislature enacted the law which provided for nominations by direct vote, the counties of Howard, Worcester, Washington, Wicomico and Somerset asked to be excepted from its provisions until after the voters in these counties had passed upon the proposition. At the last general election the question was submitted, all but Somerset decided against it. Senator Price, of Wicomico, however, decided that as the vote was close in his county, he would carry his county into the direct column and introduced a bill with that object in view.

Bills were introduced by Mr. Webster amending the Somerset county oyster law, and by Mr. Cochran to pay L. S. Wilson a teacher's pension.

Mr. Maltbie introduced a bill giving judges the right to dismiss snits if no action has been taken for six months.

The Senate had the most exciting day of the session last Wednesday, as a result of an effort of the opponents of oyster culture to kill the Campbell-Price bill.

The bill was unfavorably reported by the Committee on Chesapeake Bay Fisheries, and on Senator Coady's motion to substitute the bill for the unfavorable report a debate lasting more than six hours took place.

At the end Mr. Coady's motion prevailed and the bill is now before the Senate.

An evidence of the feeling over the oyster question Senator Dodson introduced a resolution looking to the severance of the Eastern Shore counties of Maryland and Virginia and their addition to Delaware to form a new State.

Senator Bosley has a bill that authorizes the Board of Public Works to sell the present sailboats of the oyster navy and to buy or build power boats. He says it will enable the State fishery force to arrest offenders, to enforce the cull law and to protect the bars reserved for the tongs from the depredations of the dredgers.

Corporations Committee reported favorably Senator Milbourne's bill to incorporate the Eastern Shore Light and Power Company. Engrossed for third reading.

The Senate spent several hours debating amendments to the Campbell-Price Oyster bill. An amendment by Senator Bosley to prevent the use of power boats was defeated by one vote. Another amendment by Senator Moore exempting Worcester county from the provisions of the bill was defeated, as were several others designed to emasculate the bill.

Senator Price has a new roads plan by which he proposes to legislate the Roads Commission out of office and put its duties upon the Board of Public Works and four Roads Commissioners to be appointed by the Board of Public Works.

The following were passed last Thursday.

Mr. Webster—Authorizing a \$30,000 issue of railroad bonds for Somerset county.

Senator Milbourne—Princess Anne fire protection and sewerage loan.

Mr. Jones (of Somerset)—Allowing justice of the peace to enter a judgment by confession.

Mr. Cochran—Amending the charter of the Farmers' Bank of Somerset county.

By a vote of 5 to 4 the House Committee on Elections Thursday, reported unfavorably, Mr. Whiteley's bill to abolish the envelope system in elections and to make the Baltimore system State wide. Mr. Whiteley's motion to substitute the bill for the unfavorable

report was made the special order for tomorrow (Wednesday) at 1 o'clock.

The Campbell-Price Oyster bill was amended in several vital points on Friday and ordered engrossed for its third reading. It is not known just how the amendments affect it.

Senator Milbourne introduced a bill regulating the sale of certain drugs and patent medicines in Somerset county.

### Jurors For April Court.

Judge Stanford, on Saturday last, drew the following jurors to serve at the April term of the Circuit Court for this county:

West Princess Anne district—Charles A. Cathull, Edward S. Pusey, Henry T. Pasquith, Lewis J. Pollitt. St. Peter's—William Noble, Sylvester Muir.

Brinkley's—James T. Dorsey, Warren L. Lankford, Mortimer Davis, John W. Hill, Robert J. Cropper.

Dublin—John H. Woster, William T. Gibbons, Elijah Frank Gibbons.

Mt. Vernon—Daniel W. Webster, George W. Bloodsworth, William Peter Dashiell.

Fairbairn—Poulson J. Miles, Charles Parks, of John T., Harry E. Muir, Wesley W. Thomas, William E. Maddox.

Crisfield—Lloyd Riggan, Charles F. Richardson, Alfred J. Lawson, Albert E. Goodrich, Orrie L. Tawes, Charles A. Looekerman, Dr. Gordon T. Simonson.

Lawson's—Solomon Bradshaw, Jr., Claude W. Messick, John W. Cox, B. Frank Stevenson, Philip Jerome Price. Tangier—Noah C. Evans.

Smith's Island—William F. McDorman.

Dames Quarter—Robert W. Sterling. Asbury—Howard F. Hinman, John Q. Lore.

Westover—Frederick R. Nelson, Robert Beauchamp, John Thomas Dorsey. Deal's Island—Granville G. Vetra, Tilden Webster, William C. Hoffman.

East Princess Anne—George W. Brown, Charles W. Long, Raymond Carey.

### Prospecting for Electric Line.

Col. Croskey, a consulting Engineer of Philadelphia, Pa., came to Deal's Island on Wednesday last by steamer from Baltimore for the purpose of going over the proposed route for an Electric Railway from Deal's Island, through Princess Anne to Snow Hill via P. D. West & Son's store and factory, and from Snow Hill to the public landing on Sinepuxent Bay in Worcester county. Col. Croskey was received at Deal's Island by Rev. J. W. West, who is taking an active part in the proposed road. They drove from Deal's Island to Princess Anne, where they were entertained at dinner at the Washington Hotel by the Board of Trade of Princess Anne, and met a large number of the business men of the town. After dinner Col. Croskey and Mr. West drove to the store of P. D. West & Son, where they were received by a delegation of business men representing the Board of Trade of Snow Hill and were then conveyed over the proposed route to Snow Hill, where they were entertained over night by the Board of Trade of that town and drove on Thursday morning to the public landing on Sinepuxent Bay.

### Maryland Day Next Monday.

Celebrating the landing of Lord Baltimore's colony at St. Mary's in 1634, the public schools of this State will unite on March 25th in observing Maryland Day, and thousands of children will be addressed on the early history of this Commonwealth.

There will be other features, of course, to the celebrations, but speechmaking will take the lead. The topic selected for study in the schools this year is "The Founding of the Maryland Colony and Its First Half Century," and many essays will be required of the pupils upon this period of the State's history.

In addition to the men of prominence expected to address the children will be a number of ladies, many of whom are identified with reform movements in Baltimore or in other sections of Maryland.

The day will be celebrated in the schools of Somerset county, the exercises being arranged for the afternoon session. Notice to this effect has already been sent out from the School Board office.

Speakers selected to address the Washington High School at Princess Anne are Judge H. L. D. Stanford and Geo. H. Myers, Esqr., the latter being a former principal of the school.

### Is This the Ex-Congressman?

Professor L. I. Handy, of Smyrna, Delaware, will preach at the Methodist Episcopal Church next Sunday morning. —Greensborough Free Press.

## REAR ADMIRAL MELVILLE DIES

Creator of Modern American Navy Passes Away.

### LONG AND USEFUL LIFE

He Was the Hero of Three Arctic Expeditions and Honored For Extraordinary Service.

Rear Admiral George W. Melville, retired, famous as a hero of the Civil War, Arctic explorer, scientist and student of naval affairs, died at his residence, 620 North Eighteenth street, Philadelphia.

Although Admiral Melville suffered an attack of heart failure about a month ago, he recovered, though he was left in a weakened condition owing to his age. A week ago he visited Washington on official business and seemed to be improved. Last Friday night he suffered a stroke of paralysis and soon sank into a comatose condition, from which he never rallied.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, when the body will be taken to Washington, there to be buried in the magnificent and yet simple sarcophagus in the Arlington National cemetery, which the admiral caused to be built for himself ten years ago.

In the seventy-one years of his life Admiral Melville had done such things as made him one of the great naval figures of the century. Honors without number were heaped upon him. He had stood on the decks of shell-swept battleships in the Civil War and felt the breath of death upon his cheeks. He had fought his way, step by step, into the heart of the cruel and frozen north. He had applied his genius for naval construction to the problems of the United States navy and had wrought wonders. It was he who designed the navy with which this country defeated Spain so handsily. He put to the proof in that war the fact that armor plate battleships can stand the test of modern warfare.

His last official title in the United States navy was engineer-in-chief, retired, with the rank of rear admiral. In the official register of the navy there is appended to the admiral's name, in the terse language of the department, "Advanced for extraordinary heroism on Arctic relief expedition."

It was this extraordinary heroism which had made his name throughout the civilized world a synonym for pure bravery and fine courage. Admiral Melville came of a long line of spirited Caledonian forebears, and the rare qualities that he inherited had plenty of opportunities to display.

The second Arctic expedition in which Admiral Melville took part was the one in which he literally wrung life out of death. He was a volunteer on the Jeannette, under the command of Lieutenant George W. De Long, U. S. N. The ill-starred expedition left San Francisco on July 8, 1879. Far up in the northern waters the vessel was clasped in the death embrace of a huge ice floe. For nearly two years the boat drifted, and in the end was crushed and sunk.

This is what De Long says of Melville during those long and dreary months when there was nothing to do except wait, keep up a stout courage and watch the engines:

"Melville is more and more a treasure every day. He is not only without a superior as an engineer, but he is bright and cheerful to an extraordinary degree."

### BOYS CATCH ALLEGED SLAYER

Accused of Killing Rival For Hand of Town's Belle.

In a fit of jealousy Louis Bentz is alleged to have shot and instantly killed John Rozuski, whose engagement to Bertha Zoller, the belle of Willock, a mining town near Pittsburgh, Pa., had been announced.

Bentz had never seen Rozuski, but knew he was his rival for the girl's hand. When he saw Rozuski leaving the girl's home he is said to have killed him.

Throwing the revolver away, Bentz took to the hills. A crowd of small boys saw him running, and one of them, George Hill, aged twelve years, picked up the revolver, and at the head of a posse composed of his companions, pursued Bentz.

For over a mile the chase extended, Hill firing all the remaining bullets at the fleeing man. Finally Bentz, fatigued, fell on his knees and begged the boys not to harm him. They turned him over to the police.

Scared by Train, Killed by Car. Frightened by a freight train, young Angelo Defini, of Swedesburg, Pa., was jumped off a fence, from which he was watching the flood in the Schuylkill river, and fell in front of a trolley car and was killed.

## OUTLAWS' LEADER CAUGHT AT HOME

His Wife Slain in Battle With Detectives.

### TWO WOMEN AMONG DEAD

Head of Outlaw Gang That Shot Up Court at Hillsville Tracked to His Home—Search Kept Up For Slayers.

The whole might of the commonwealth of Virginia is girding to bring to justice the band of lawless mountaineers who "shot up" the court house at Hillsville, Carroll county, fifteen miles from Barren Springs, and killed Judge Thornton Massie, District Attorney W. M. Foster, Sheriff Lewis Webb and a juror, C. C. Kane. But it is going to be a huge task, and whether it will ever be thoroughly accomplished no one can tell.

Detectives arrested Sidney Allen, ringleader of the gang. Wounded in the leg, he was lying at his home in the hills.

As the detectives approached the house the desperado's wife opened fire upon them, shooting through a window. Returning the fire, the detectives rushed upon the building. When they opened the door the woman was lying on the floor dead, with several bullets in her body, and Sidney Allen was on the bed.

Helpless, despite his plight, the outlaw tried to resist arrest. He was taken to Hillsville and placed in jail.

Twenty-five detectives reached Hillsville to lead in the pursuit of the gang. Assisted by posses the detectives will scour the entire section penetrating the Blue Ridge in every direction. The outlaws, for the most part, are possibly now well within the wild mountainous regions of western North Carolina. Some, it is known, Mount Alary, just over the line in North Carolina, where they are said to have raided a hardware store and secured a new supply of arms and ammunition.

A semblance of order followed the arrival of the detectives all heavily as state officers. One of their first acts was to take into custody Floyd Allen, leader of the Allen desperadoes, who was wounded in the court room fighting and left behind by his brothers. As he was being locked up Allen attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. He was disarmed before he could accomplish his purpose.

Allen's son, Victor, rode into Hillsville armed to the teeth, to guard his father and he, too, is under arrest, with a man named Strickland.

Victor Allen and Strickland were found hiding in a house in Hillsville. Both were captured without serious resistance, although it was said they at first indicated an impulse to shoot their way to liberty.

A strong force of men, all well armed, has been placed in an about the jail with orders to shoot to kill at the first sign of any indication of trouble.

Betty Ayres, one of the few women who were in court during the shooting and who was wounded, died.

The scene of the wholesale murder was the quaint little old-fashioned red brick county court house. There had been reports that an attempt might be made to rescue Floyd Allen, who himself had aided a prisoner friend recently to escape from the county officers. The trial had been in progress for several days.

Floyd Allen had been found guilty and had been called for sentence. Sidney and Jack Allen were among the first arrivals at the court and were seen to take their places near the rail marking the enclosure for prisoner and counsel. Standing near by were a number of their associates and friends from the Blue Ridge mountains.

Judge Massie went about the sentencing of the prisoner in the usual matter of fact way, but the words "one year at hard labor" had scarcely passed his lips when there came the crack of a revolver. In an instant this was followed by a volley of shots, and the judge, who had partly risen at the first shot, lay dead and bleeding on the bench.

Commonwealth Attorney Foster was sitting directly in front of the bench and was next to succumb to the well directed shots of the suddenly turned outlaws.

In the first fusillade several jurors had been wounded. Blankenship probably fatally. Sheriff Webb, whipping out his own weapon, made for the prisoner, who had joined in the shooting with an oath and a declaration that he would never go to jail, but the officer was stopped by a perfect hail of lead and crumpled into a lifeless heap on the floor.

By this time the shooting in the court room had become general, and there was a wild rush of the unarmed for windows and doors.

## MINERS REJECT OPERATORS OFFER

The Negotiations Are Abruptly Broken Off.

### A STRIKE SEEMS CERTAIN

Operators Issue Statement Reiterating Their First Offer—Mines to Suspend Work April 1.

The developments in New York city in the negotiations between the committee of ten of the anthracite operators and the representatives of the miners were purely formal, but significant nevertheless.

Each side reasserted its position in much the same terms as have been used before. The representatives of the miners gave out a statement in reply to the last previous statement issued by the operators, firmly refusing to yield an inch of ground.

At the meeting Mr. White read the statement which he had just issued to the operators. The latter had no comment to make about it, and the miners withdrew, leaving the operators in the council chamber.

The operators went into conference. A statement by the operators was issued in answer to the statement of the miners. The statement, after saying that the mine workers declined to modify their demands, refers to the findings of the strike commission and declares that nothing was advanced in the conferences of 1906 and 1909 to cast doubt upon the wisdom of the award, and no new condition is now brought forward, nor have the facts and issues then covered since been changed.

"The operators," the statement continues, "have always stated, and again assured the mine workers' committee that they were ready to meet them and to give consideration to any suggestion urged by them."

"While it is conceded," the statement proceeds, "that the cost of living has increased, it must be remembered that the advance in wages awarded to the mine workers by the strike commission was based upon the existing conditions here."

The statement briefly reviews these conditions and concludes as follows:

"We again emphasize the statement that it is impossible for the operators to advance wages unless they can in some manner realize from the sale of the coal produced a sum equal to the increase in the wages. It is not possible to increase the price of the steam sizes on account of competition of bituminous coal, and it does not seem fair and there would appear nothing in the condition of the mine workers to warrant the advance in the price to the public."

The miners' officials, headed by John T. White, president of the United Mine Workers of America, say in their official reply that they regret the position taken by the operators. They refer to the conditions of living as warranting wage advances, there having been a change in the prices of food since the last award was made. There has been no increase in wages since the award went into effect, the miners insist. They refer to their hazardous occupation and to the number of men killed or injured in the mines annually. From 1899 to 1910, the miners declare, 12,368 men have been injured in the hard coal fields, the total of killed and injured in the same period being given as 18,921.

There are now approximately 180,000 anthracite miners. The anthracite men say there is "no reason why they should work longer than the bituminous miners," who enjoy an eight-hour day. The hard coal miners work nine hours. The workers in the hard coal fields, their officials told the operators, have become thoroughly convinced that they cannot protect their interests under terms of any contract unless their organization is "fully recognized."

The conference was the third of its kind to be held between the operators and the miners. The assumption all along has been that it would be the last. No further conference has been arranged for, and both sides have refused to go beyond the limits of their formal statements in talking about the possibilities of future negotiations. No strike order needs to be sent out. As things stand the strike will automatically go on at midnight of March 31.

### Death Claims John F. Hill.

John F. Hill, former governor of Maine and acting chairman of the Republican national committee, died in Boston. He was taken ill early last week with an affection of the heart.

### Free Sugar Bill Passes House.

The Democratic house bill placing sugar on the free list was passed, 198 to 102. Many Republican insurgents voted for it.

## THE WILMINGTON MRS. BELLE A. CORBIN

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The forty-fourth annual session of the Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Conference convened last Tuesday night in the new St. Paul's Church, Wilmington, Del., and the sessions have been of unusual interest.

Bishop Luther B. Wilson, of Philadelphia, presided. Rev. Charles A. Hill, who was at one time stationed at Princess Anne, is the pastor of St. Paul's Church, which was recently rebuilt at a cost of \$80,000 and just dedicated.

The reports of the District Superintendents were full and optimistic, showing important improvements in membership growth and increases of pastor's salaries. Interest centered upon the election of delegates, ministerial and lay, to the General Conference. Surprise was created when Rev. Dr. Charles A. Hill, pastor of St. Paul's Church, where the conference is in session, was elected over Superintendent Edmund L. Hoffecker, of the Wilmington district. The three other superintendents were elected as follows:

Robert Watt, Easton district; R. K. Stephenson, Dover district; and George F. Jones, Salisbury district.

The following lay delegates were chosen: John W. Coley, Wilmington; Chas. H. Jefferson, Chestertown, Md.; William Saulsbury, Dover; John D. Townsend, Selbyville, Del.

The alternates are Mrs. William M. Field, Wilmington; Col. A. W. Sisk, Preston, Md., and William T. Records, Laurel, Del.

### Assailant Tried And Convicted.

Indicted, secretly tried, convicted and sentenced, and then hurried into an awaiting automobile and rushed to a train for Baltimore, was the history of 10 minutes of the life of Emmans Waller, colored, the confessed assailant of Miss Ella Bailey, 16-year-old daughter of Justice of the Peace William H. H. Bailey, the crime being committed in the woods near Hebron, Wicomico county, Monday afternoon. It was rumored that a lynching party was being formed in the country near the home of the girl, and that the mob would make efforts to take the negro from the county jail and lynch him.

Sheriff Roy Smith Wednesday morning received a telephone message to the effect Wednesday that the lynching party was being organized. He quickly held a consultation with Judges Stanford and Jones, who were sitting at the March term of the Circuit Court in session at Salisbury. The Grand Jury was informed of the state of affairs and immediately brought in the indictment.

The judges then adjourned court, and immediately after all of the spectators had departed from the courtroom the case was called, an attorney was appointed to defend the negro and the trial proceeded. The attorney entered a plea of guilty, confessing the crime, and the judges pronounced the sentence 10 years in the penitentiary. The negro was then hurried to the waiting automobile and carried to a place of safety to await a train for Baltimore. Not over 10 minutes elapsed from the time the negro was brought from county jail until he was on his way to Baltimore.

There is no doubt that the Hebron people would have made the attempt to lynch the negro, had it not been for the quick action of the authorities.

### W. U. Polk Critically Injured.

As the result of a railroad motor accident on the Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railroad last Saturday W. U. Polk, superintendent of the road, is lying in a critical condition at the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, with little hope for his recovery, and two others are injured.

Mr. Polk, in company with F. P. Dryden, assistant engineer; B. N. Brittingham, supervisor, and Willard Baker, extra engineer, left Salisbury for Claiborne on official business. At Rockawalkin, about four miles west of Salisbury, the motor car jumped the track, running into a deep ditch. Polk and Brittingham were rendered unconscious. Baker and Dryden summoned help.

A special train with Dr. Dick aboard was immediately sent and Polk, Brittingham and Baker were rushed to the hospital. Dr. Dick performed an operation on Mr. Polk and found that Polk's skull was fractured. Brittingham and Baker were badly bruised.

### Hen Lays Largest Egg.

What is said to be a record size for eggs produced by White Leghorns in the United States is an egg found by Mrs. R. M. Boyd, a chicken fancier of Racine, Wis. The egg measured 8 1/2 by 6 1/4 inches, and is said to be larger than any egg on record for this particular species of fowl.



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## EGYPT'S GREEN SUN.

Brilliant Emerald Hues Tint the Sky at Dawn and Eve.

In Egypt, where the atmosphere is very clear, the green tints of the sunset light are peculiarly distinct. As the sun descends nearer and nearer to the horizon and is immensely enlarged its rays suddenly become for an instant of a brilliant green. Then a succession of green rays suffuses the sky well nigh to the zenith.

The same phenomenon occurs at sunrise, but less conspicuously. Sometimes at sunset, just as the last portion of the sun's disk vanishes, its color changes from green to blue, and so also after it has disappeared the sky near the horizon is green, while toward the zenith it is blue.

The fact was, of course, observed by the ancient Egyptians, and references thereto are found in their sacred writings. Day was the symbol of life and night that of death. The setting sun being identified with Osiris, that god became king of the dead. The setting sun was green; therefore Osiris as the nocturnal deity of the dead was painted green.

The splendid coffins of the high priests of Ammon frequently depict the green sun, and the funeral deities are all colored green. This association of death with green was undoubtedly due to the green tints of the Egyptian sun at sunset—Youth's Companion.

## COFFEE WITH AN ARAB.

It Protects Even Murderers Where the Cup Has Been Shared.

Describing the hospitality of an Arabian home, the "Last Journal of Bishop Hannington" says:

The great event of the visit is the coffee. The host has a kind of brazen shovel brought, in which he roasts the beans; then he takes a pestle and mortar of the oak of Bashan, and with his own hands he pounds it to powder, making the hard oak ring forth a song of welcome to the guest. Many of these pestles and mortars are heirlooms and are richly ornamented and beautifully black and polished by age and use. Such was the one in question. Having drunk coffee (for the honored guest the cup is filled three times), you are quite safe in the hands of the most murderous.

So far do they carry this superstition that a man who had murdered another died to the dead man's father and before he knew what had happened drank coffee. Presently friends came in and as they were relating the news to the bereaved father recognized the murderer crouching beside the fire. They instantly demanded vengeance. "No," said the father, "it cannot be. He has drunk coffee and has thus become to me as my son."

Had he not drunk coffee the father would never have rested until he had dyed his hands in his blood.

## Drug Store Signs.

Every one has noticed the beautiful colors in the large glass jars that stand in the drug store windows, but every one does not know why drug stores use that sign. In the old days apothecaries and alchemists were the only druggists, and they made up their own nostrums, the composition of which was supposed to be a great secret. They used to leave their retorts and jars and stills and bottles in the window to impress upon the passersby the mystery and importance of their business. The modern drug store has no use for retorts and stills, all the processes being handled by the big chemical factories, but the large jars full of bright colored liquids are still left in the window, just as they were hundreds of years ago.—New York Sun.

## Repels Attack of Death.

"Five years ago two doctors told me I had only two years to live." This startling statement was made by Stillman Green, Malachite, Col. "They told me I would die with consumption. It was up to me to try the best lung medicine and I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery. It was well I did, for today I am working and believe I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure that has cheated the grave of another victim." Its folly to suffer with coughs, colds or other throat and lung troubles now. Take the cure that's safest. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Omar A. Jones' Drug Store.

## RUNNING AMOK.

A Mania For Murder That Is Peculiar to Oriental Countries.

The expression "run amok" is the Anglicized form of a term used in some parts of the Orient to describe a form of homicidal mania, accompanied by a frenzied plunge in any and every direction. In the countries where the mania originated the word applied to it was "amok." The corrupted form of it is now applied in a score of ways—without much warrant.

In Malacca, Siam, Java and adjacent regions the mental state which causes amok is well defined and much dreaded. It is attributed almost invariably to excessive drinking of stimulants. The victim first turns morose, generally remaining in this state for several days. Then he is suddenly seized with the mania for slaughter and starts on his mad run with the first weapon he can reach.

Extra precautions against these mad ravages are taken in some of the more civilized places, especially Batavia. There the police are armed with what is called a catch fork. The instant the victim of amok starts on his mad dash he finds himself hooked by a minton of the law and held firmly the length of this odd human spear. He can harm himself, but that is the limit of his insane power.—Exchange.

The Jewish rabbis had a legend which carries corporal punishment back to the days of our first parents, which is quaintly reflected in that modern schoolboy's play upon names, "Adam Seth Eve Cain Abel."

Of course there is, too, the warning of Solomon, "He that spareth the rod hateth his son," or the old Egyptian proverb, "The back of a lad is made that he may be beaten to him that beats it," but if we must go on history alone the earliest records belong to the Romans, who practiced flogging in several degrees of severity.

There were the fella, a flat strip of leather, a comparatively mild persuader; the scutica, a harsher instrument of twisted parchment, and the flagellum, a cruel scourge of leather thongs.

## Books in the Middle Ages.

In the middle ages books were exchanged for a horse or half a dozen sheep. When anybody needed stock or other property he often pawned the books that he owned, and in the towns of Oxford were at one time twenty chests filled with valuable books. Later the book fairs helped to relieve the situation. No doubt there is a golden mean somewhere between the scarcity of the middle ages and the overproduction of today.—Argonaut.

## The Quarrel Discreet.

"Why do you employ such elaborate circumlocution when you tell a man that you doubt his veracity?"

"I find it better to use the longest words possible. If I can compel a man to consult the dictionary to ascertain just what I mean both our tempers get a chance to cool."—Washington Star.

## Scolding Not Successful.

Many women have attempted to scold affection into the hearts of men, but we have never heard of one who succeeded.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The heart of the wise man should resemble a mirror, which reflects every object without being sullied by any.—Confucius.

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## A Coincidence

By RUTH GRAHAM

Edwin Young was a man of very deep feeling. An engineer by profession, while engaged on the work of making a preliminary survey on a proposed railroad he was accustomed to stop overnight or for meals at farm-houses. During this time he might have stopped at a dozen houses in each of which he had seen from one to a dozen persons.

One day some time after the survey had been completed he received a note signed "Mary Warfield." It was written in the handwriting of a woman and confessed that he had stayed at the house in which she lived while the railroad was being surveyed and she had fallen in love with him. He probably would not wish to find her and if he did he could not do so, for she did not at the time she wrote him live at the same place. Her love was eating her life away. Nevertheless she would not be so unfeeling as to ask him to love her. The only satisfaction she allowed herself was to inform him of her love.

Young was just the man to be impressed by a circumstance which nine in ten men, though they might feel a bit flattered, would cast aside as a matter of no moment whatever. He had no desire to find the writer of the note, for he was a man of culture, while she was doubtless with little or no education. But he thought about this girl who was dying for him and wondered if she used the word literally. From thinking he came to brooding. At times he was tempted to hunt her up, but in his calmer moments he saw plainly that such a course would likely lead to serious consequences.

Young, who had left the home of his parents, went to live in a boarding house in the city. It was near an important school building, and several women teachers boarded there. It is said that in the profession of teaching there are no prizes. Teachers don't get rich. They seldom make—at least as teachers—any mark in the world. Nevertheless their lives are on an intellectual plane. With those in this house where Young boarded he became intimate. One or two of them showed him sufficient favor to warrant his making love to them. The one he fancied most, Miss Virginia Martin, seemed rather shy of him.

Perhaps it was because of this shyness and that Miss Martin was the prettiest of the lot that he liked her the best. There was in her something of that emotional nature which was in him, though emotional does not as correctly express it in her case as in his. She was, rather, one of those persons to whom the phrase "still waters run deep" applies.

Young, after dinner in the evening, would be a great deal with the young ladies, and very soon they, discovering which way the wind blew, would one by one go off to their rooms, leaving him and Miss Martin together. That was the beginning of it. The end of it was an engagement between them.

But before the engagement Young told the girl about the letter he had received signed "Mary Warfield" and confessed that it had made a marked impression on him. Then he asked her if she thought he was by any higher law than is usual in such cases bound to this poor girl, who had anonymously confessed her love for him. Miss Martin couldn't see that he was. He told her that he had made no effort to find Mary Warfield, and Miss Martin said that he had acted wisely. The only doubt, he told her, that he had in proposing to his fiancée was a fear that at some future time he might receive an appeal from Mary Warfield which would act upon his emotional nature, thus creating a barrier between him and the girl he loved, later to be his wife. Miss Martin said it was to be hoped no such event would occur.

All went well between the lovers, though now and again Young would appear moody. Miss Martin on such occasions smilingly accused him of thinking of Mary Warfield. He would neither affirm nor deny the charge, but the girl present, the smile she gave him and perhaps a kiss banished the one who was dying for him.

When the summer vacation came on Miss Martin prepared to spend it at home, for she did not live in the city where she taught. Young was to take a couple of weeks in August for his own rest and was to spend it at her home, making the acquaintance of her family.

Miss Martin would have it that the matter between them was to be dropped from the time they parted till he had met her relatives. He was obliged to spend six weeks without a word from her. Then he joined her. He found her family country people of a refined type. They were living in a town new to them, where they had just bought a place. Young was satisfied, and if the lady was equally so with his own people, whom she was to meet in the autumn, the engagement was to be considered assured. Then Young returned to the city.

The day after his arrival he received a letter from his fiancée. He started. The handwriting was that of Mary Warfield. The letter was full of love, but made no mention of the matter that haunted Young. In a fever of uncertainty he rushed to the telegraph office and sent a dispatch: "Are you Mary Warfield?" The reply came, "Yes."

There was no mystery in the matter, simply a coincidence in Mr. Young's and Miss Martin's meetings.

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## AN ERRATIC VOLCANO.

Rose From the Sea, Formed an Island and Sank Again.

On June 16, 1810, the Sabrina, a British sloop of war, observed smoke arising from the sea near St. Michael, off the Azores, and made for it, believing that a naval engagement was in progress. Her crew found, however, that great tongues of flame were issuing along with the smoke and that they had cleared for action to fight a volcano.

Forty-eight hours later an island made its appearance, having risen from a depth of forty fathoms in that period, and in another day it was fifty-one feet above the surface, with a length of about three-quarters of a mile. By July 4 the Sabrina's people were able to land on this new shore, which was then 300 feet high, with a circumference of fully a mile, with a stream six yards wide running from the center to the sea.

They took formal possession of it for his Britannic majesty, hoisting the union jack on its most conspicuous point, but by degrees the island sank until about the middle of October it vanished below the surface, with the union jack still on it, like a battleship sinking with colors flying after a fatal engagement.—London Standard.

## A Letter of Importance.

The letter 'I' is the most important in the alphabet because it leads all others in perfection. It is likewise first in peace and prosperity and gives to pleasure its proper form. It is found in every enterprise and aspiration, and without its valuable offices our stanchest anchor of hope would be but a commonplace hoe. In importance it is decidedly the dominating letter. It has no place in history, but is foremost in philosophy and gives power to the pen. While always first in provocation, it likewise leads in pardon and possesses great power in persuasion. It is rich in the emotions and virtues. Patriotism, passion, patience, pity and poetry acknowledge it as their very own. No point or picture or port was ever made without it. It leads all others in power, permanency and preciousness. Purpose has no meaning without it, and pyramids are built upon its base.—Galaxy.

## Staining Glass.

The art of coloring glass has been lost and refound, guarded and stolen so many times during the history of civilization that it seems almost impossible to say anything new on glass staining. Yet a modern process for making the stained glass used in windows is a departure from anything known to the old timers. The glass first receives its design in mineral colors, and the whole is then fired in a heat so intense that the coloring matter and the glass are indissolubly fused. The most attractive feature of this method is that the surface acquires a peculiar pebbled character in the heat, so that when the glass is in place the lights are beautifully soft and mellow.—New York Herald.

## Drew the Line.

"Madam," began the man respectfully, "I am very hungry. Could you give me a bit of something?" "I will call the dog," the woman replied. "I am hungry enough to eat the dog," the man said, "but I'd rather have something else." And, woman-like, she went inside and banged the door.—Buffalo Express.

## Man.

What a piece of work is a man—how noble in reason, how infinite in faculty, in form and movement how express and admirable, in action how like an angel, in apprehension how like a god, the beauty of the world, the paragon of animals!—Shakespeare.

## The Difference.

Miss Gushington—Love is like a kitten. It is born blind. Mr. Blunt—Yes, but it only takes a kitten nine days to get its eyes opened.—Philadelphia Record.

## Will Grow.

Mabel—That story you told about Alice isn't worth repeating. Katie—It's young yet; give it time.—Boston Transcript.

## Treasurer's Sale FOR 1910 TAXES

By virtue of the power and authority vested in me as County Treasurer for Somerset county by the provisions of Chapter 10 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910, I hereby give notice that on

TUESDAY, APRIL 9th, 1912,

at the hour of 1.30 p. m., at the Court House door in Princess Anne, Maryland, I will sell at public auction for cash, all the lots or parcels of land, hereinafter severally mentioned and described, to pay and satisfy the State and County Taxes, levied against the said hereinafter described lots or parcels of land for the year 1910, or charged to and due from the several persons whose names are assessed, which said taxes are now due and in arrears for said year, together with the interest and costs thereon and costs of sale.

No. 1—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 8 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at Hazard's Cove, conveyed to Fred W. Cullen by Sedonia Vandye et al. and assessed to Fred W. Cullen for said year.

No. 2—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a Hill Ridge, at the intersection of the road to Daniel Blake and the road to Isham Tyler's and assessed to George E. Dize for said year.

No. 3—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 5 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Manokin river, and the private road of R. F. Leach, adjoining the land of Edward Dize and assessed to Nettie B. Dize for said year.

No. 4—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 5 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road, part of the Charles F. Ford estate, conveyed to Elizabeth J. Ford by Wm. G. Ford and assessed to Elizabeth J. Ford for said year.

No. 5—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a Hill Ridge, adjoining the land of Edward Dize and John Windsor and assessed to Luther J. Ford for said year.

No. 6—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at the junction of the road from Fairmount to Westover and the private road of John S. Sudler, adjoining the land of Davy Holland and assessed to George W. Maddox for said year.

No. 7—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Levi Hicks, Rosetta Collins and D. J. Maddox and assessed to Laura Miles for said year.

No. 8—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road leading to L. J. Hall's land, adjoining the land of George M. Hall and Charles E. Ford and assessed to Clara F. Parks for said year.

No. 9—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Rosa Shaw and Elizabeth Cox and assessed to Nettie J. Parks for said year.

No. 10—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, adjoining the lands of H. C. Tull and Elizabeth Waters and assessed to John E. Pearson for said year.

No. 11—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Fairmount to Ford's Wharf, adjoining the land of Joseph Chelton, whereon Page and formerly resided and assessed to Ella A. Thomas for said year.

No. 12—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of John H. Ford, George Selby and Billy Maddox and assessed to Robert J. Sorrel for said year.

No. 13—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading to Harry Muir's store to Jericho, adjoining the lands of Robert Leach and John H. Ford and assessed to John E. Pearson for said year.

No. 14—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the north side of the county road leading to Jericho, near Harry Muir's store and assessed to Reuben and Rome Parks for said year.

No. 15—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, near the colored church at Upper Fairmount and near the land of Robert H. Jones' land and assessed to Fred A. Cullen for said year.

No. 16—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road to the E. of E. cemetery, adjoining the land of Robert H. Jones and assessed to Isaac T. Ford for said year.

No. 17—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on Back Creek, adjoining the lands of John S. Sudler and Oden Ballard and assessed to Jacob A. Jones for said year.

No. 18—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a road leading to the Teague's Creek road, adjoining the land formerly owned by Josiah Avery and assessed to Elijah Cox's heirs for said year.

No. 19—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of William E. Muir, John Custer and Rosetta Collins and assessed to William Turpin for said year.

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No. 25—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at the head of Teagu Creek, conveyed to William H. Adams Margaret H. Tull et al. and assessed said Margaret H. Tull for said year.

No. 26—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Mrs. An E. Holland, George Leach and William Holland and assessed to Maggie E. Laylin for said year.

No. 27—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Manokin river, adjoining Thomas Blake and David Tyler, a Kate Winder and assessed to Louise A. T. for said year.

No. 28—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road to Geor Davy's, conveyed to John Waters by Thom E. Ballard and assessed to John Waters said year.

No. 29—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a Hill Ridge, adjoining the lands of Joseph Muir, deceased and John H. Ford and assessed to John Hall for said year.

No. 30—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a Hill Ridge, adjoining the land owned or formerly by Vaughn Bea champ and assessed to Noah F. Holland said year.

No. 31—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at "Upper Freetown," a landing or near the land of Robt. H. Bog and assessed to John W. Boggs for said year.

No. 32—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on or near the "Lower Hill," and assessed to Levin T. Waters for said year.

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South-Bound Trains.					
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	9:00	12:38	3:38	8:00	
Philadelphia.....	11:17	5:35	8:00	5:57	10:00
Wilmington.....	12:02	6:47	8:44	6:53	10:44
Morehead.....	10:00	4:10	1:35	4:55	9:00
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	3:00	10:40	7:02	10:15	1:35
Philadelphia.....	3:10	10:56	7:16	10:27	1:48
Wilmington.....	3:25	11:24	7:45	10:55	2:09
Morehead.....	3:40	11:39	7:59	11:10	2:24
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	6:15	4:30	10:40	4:30	
Philadelphia.....	6:20	4:35	10:45	4:35	
Wilmington.....	6:30	4:45	10:55	4:45	
Morehead.....	6:40	4:55	11:05	4:55	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	9:05	7:25	5:45	7:25	

North-Bound Trains.					
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	4:45	5:00	8:00	4:45	
Philadelphia.....	5:00	5:15	8:15	5:00	
Wilmington.....	5:15	5:30	8:30	5:15	
Morehead.....	5:30	5:45	8:45	5:30	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	11:05	9:15	6:00	11:25	
Philadelphia.....	11:20	9:30	6:15	11:40	
Wilmington.....	11:35	9:45	6:30	11:55	
Morehead.....	11:50	9:55	6:45	12:10	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	7:02	1:10	11:59	9:10	2:50
Philadelphia.....	7:17	1:25	12:14	9:25	3:05
Wilmington.....	7:32	1:40	12:29	9:40	3:20
Morehead.....	7:47	1:55	12:44	9:55	3:35
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	8:01	2:00	12:54	10:15	3:59
Philadelphia.....	8:16	2:15	1:04	10:30	4:14
Wilmington.....	8:31	2:30	1:19	10:45	4:29
Morehead.....	8:46	2:45	1:34	11:00	4:44
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	11:22	4:35	4:05	7:41	
Philadelphia.....	11:37	4:50	4:20	7:56	
Wilmington.....	11:52	5:05	4:35	8:11	
Morehead.....	12:07	5:20	4:50	8:26	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
York.....	12:40	7:03	6:01	9:50	
Philadelphia.....	12:55	7:18	6:16	10:05	
Wilmington.....	1:10	7:33	6:31	10:20	
Morehead.....	1:25	7:48	6:46	10:35	

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Leave Crissfield..... 7:25 4:40 7:50  
Arrive Crissfield..... 8:12 5:20 8:40  
Crissfield Branch—Northward.  
Leave Crissfield..... 6:00 12:05 6:00  
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Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Baltimore.....	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	
Salisbury.....	8:45	9:55	10:45		
Ocean City.....	9:45	11:00	11:57		
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Baltimore.....	6:00	12:05	6:00		
Salisbury.....	6:45	12:55	6:55		
Ocean City.....	7:45	1:00	7:55		

WEST BOUND.					
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Baltimore.....	6:30	2:15			
Salisbury.....	7:50	3:35			
Ocean City.....	8:50	4:35			
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Baltimore.....	1:20				
Salisbury.....	2:40				
Ocean City.....	3:40				

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late of Somerset county, deceased. All per-  
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of, to the subscribers on or before the

Twenty-third day of July, 1912,  
they may otherwise be lawfully excluded  
from all benefit of said estate. All persons  
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immediate payment.  
Given under our hands this 16th day of  
May, 1912.

ADDIE F. DRYDEN and  
BENJAMIN K. GREEN,  
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Ninth day of July, 1912,  
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Given under my hand, this 2nd day of  
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Adm'r of O. Fitch Thomas, dec'd.  
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**SCHEME WORTHY OF CHICAGO**

Plans for Beautiful Park That Will  
Make It One of the Show Cities  
of the Country.

A long stride toward the realization  
of the "Chicago Beautiful" plan was  
made just before the close of the past  
year when, through the co-operation of  
the city, the South Park commission,  
the Chicago Plan commission, and the  
Illinois Central railroad, the people of  
Chicago regained control of the lake  
front. The vexing problem of the loca-  
tion of the Field Museum of Natural  
History was also solved, and the beau-  
tiful structure will be erected in a cen-  
tral location instead of in Jackson  
Park, which is in the southern por-  
tion of the city.

In the deal between the city, the  
South Park commission, and the Illi-  
nois Central railroad, the city acquires  
the riparian rights from Twelfth street  
to Fifty-first street, affording opportu-  
nity for the creation of island parks  
for miles along the shore. The plan  
calls for the extension out into the  
lake of the present shore line by fill-  
ing, and the making of a narrow island  
or strip of land about seven or eight  
miles long, paralleling the shore line  
from Grant Park to Jackson park,  
about 400 feet out in the lake.

Between the extended shore line  
and this outer strip of parks will be a  
lagoon, approximately 400 feet wide,  
providing a calm, comparatively safe  
waterway for canoeing, motorboating  
and rowing. Channels, giving access  
from the lagoon to the lake, will be  
provided at intervals, viaducts will  
connect the island parks and the shore,  
two great pleasure piers, extending  
half a mile out into the lake, will be  
constructed, and a boulevard connect-  
ing Grant and Jackson parks, will be  
built along the lake side of the outer  
strip of land. Bathing beaches will be  
constructed at various points, and the  
island parks will be real playgrounds  
for all of Chicago, where baseball, ten-  
nis and all manner of outdoor sports  
may be indulged in. All this will be a  
part of a chain of parks and boule-  
vards which will extend 20 miles along  
the shores of Lake Michigan.

The Field Museum of Natural His-  
tory, over which so much controversy  
has been waged, due to the successful  
fight made against its location in  
Grant Park, will be located on made  
land immediately east or lakeward of  
the present Illinois Central railroad  
depot, which depot is to be torn down  
and a new one built facing north,  
fronting on Twelfth street and abut-  
ting on Michigan avenue. In this po-  
sition the museum will overlook Grant  
Park, looking north.

The made land required in this  
scheme can be provided, at practically  
no cost, at the rate of 100 acres a  
year, by utilizing Chicago's waste ma-  
terial.

**EFFECT OF GRASS ON TREES**  
Experiments Made in England Seem  
to Have Shown That It Is  
Injurious.

At the Woburn experimental fruit  
farm a long inquiry has been conduct-  
ed into the effect of grass on trees,  
and the experiments which have been  
carried out form the substance of the  
thirteenth report of the farm, which  
has just been issued.

It has been shown that the general  
result of grassing the ground, either  
by sowing seed or replacing the turf  
after the trees have been planted, is  
the arrestation of all healthy growth  
and the absolute stunting of the  
tree.

A light and unhealthy character im-  
parted to the leaves is one of the first  
noticeable results of the action of  
grass upon trees. With trees that are  
feeling the full effect of grass the  
fruits are found to be small and ill  
developed.

The variations in soil temperature  
are less when the ground is grassed,  
and this alone would be favorable to  
the growth of trees; but this good in-  
fluence is outweighed by the dele-  
terious effects.—London Daily Mail.

**Remedy for Quick Temper.**  
Nothing is so disastrous as losing  
one's temper. When you feel so tow-  
ering, raging mad that you want to  
fight some one, take yourself by your  
collar or forelock and conduct your-  
self to a place of quiet seclusion.

There endeavor to discover within  
your head some few grains of sound  
sense upon which to dwell long and  
thoughtfully. What's the good of los-  
ing one's temper? Lots of times you  
hand people undeserved rebukes, and  
then it is a tremendous nuisance try-  
ing to forget how unkind you have  
been.

Be patient. Be patient with the  
faults of others and be patient with  
your own. Take care of your health,  
your morals, and your spiritual self.  
Be above the sharp retort of the  
thoughtless.

**Turn From Tea to Rubber.**  
The island of Ceylon has quit the  
wholesale production of tea and is  
planting rubber instead, because the  
latter is found to be more profitable

**HEALTH  
INSURANCE**

The man who insures his life is  
wise for his family.

The man who insures his health  
is wise both for his family and  
himself.

You may insure health by guard-  
ing it. It is worth guarding.

At the first attack of disease,  
which generally approaches  
through the LIVER and mani-  
fests itself in innumerable ways  
**TAKE**

**Tutt's Pills**

And save your health.

**THE BEGGAR'S LEGACY.**

It Clothes a Number of Poor People in  
England Annually.

Gifts of clothing are made annually  
in many market towns and villages of  
Surrey to the poor from a bequest left  
for the purpose by Henry Smith, or  
"Dog" Smith, as he was more generally  
called, having earned the sobriquet  
from the fact that he was never seen  
without a dog at his heels.

This remarkable character lived  
about two and a half centuries ago and  
was one of the best known figures in  
Surrey. He was originally a silver-  
smith in the city of London and, pros-  
pering in business, acquired estates in  
different parts of England.

Developing eccentricities as he grew  
old, he adopted the life of a beggar.  
His wanderings were confined almost  
entirely to Surrey, and he is said to  
have begged his way through every  
town and village in the county. At his  
death in 1681 he left all his wealth to  
the market towns and parishes of Sur-  
rey, and the endowment enabled each  
town to spend \$250 and each village  
about \$30 on the purchase of clothing  
for its poor.

Mitcham, however, was excluded  
from his benefactions, Smith's explana-  
tion being that on one occasion the in-  
habitants of Mitcham whipped him  
through the village as a common vag-  
rant.—London Chronicle.

**A BABEL OF TONGUES.**

Half a Hundred Languages, Perhaps,  
in the Philippines.

The natives of the Philippines are  
known to have at least twenty-five  
languages, and some students of the  
ethnology of the islands have expres-  
sed the belief that they have more than  
double that number of distinct tongues.  
For purposes of study they are gener-  
ally put in two groups:

First—The languages of the Negri-  
tos, supposedly descendants of the ab-  
original population of the islands, who  
are distributed in scattered tribes in  
the interior of the larger islands.

Second—The languages of the vari-  
ous Malay tribes which make up the  
bulk of the population—Christian, Mo-  
hammedan and pagan.

It cannot be said that the Philippine  
languages possess any very consider-  
able literary value. The old native  
manuscripts inscribed on leaves or  
strips of cane have practically all been  
lost. American students of the islands  
have found the scanty native literature  
in religious writings, indifferent poetry  
and primitive newspapers. The natives  
themselves are profoundly ignorant for  
the most part as to their own litera-  
ture.—New York Times.

**A Good Word For Caviar.**

Caviar receives a clean bill in the  
London Lancet, despite the fact that  
it is regarded by many medical men as  
"oily, indigestible and unwholesome."

Numerous analyses have been made of  
this sturgeon roe delicacy, which, ac-  
cording to the writer, when averaged,  
appears to be as follows: Water, 50.92  
per cent; protein, 27.92 per cent; fat,  
13.59 per cent, and mineral salts, 7.57  
per cent. It differs sharply from the  
flesh of fish by containing a much  
larger quantity of fat. Moreover, this  
fat contains the peculiar oily phosphor-  
us compound known as lecithin, which  
is a stimulant to metabolism, affecting  
favorably the processes of nutrition.  
Caviar is, in fact, highly nutritive,  
and its digestibility has been deter-  
mined, the time taken for its absorp-  
tion being relatively short. If there is  
anything to be said unfavorably of  
caviar it is that its constituents err  
slightly on the side of richness.

Jones—What have you got that string  
around your finger for? Brown—My  
wife put it on so that I would remem-  
ber something. I forgot what it was.  
I'm keeping it on now to remind me  
to ask her what it was when I get  
home this evening.

**The Canny Agent.**

"Do you suffer here from miasma?"  
asked the visitor to Swampville as he  
looked over the villa plot proposition in  
that charming suburb.  
"No," replied the agent. "Fact is, I  
never knew you had the asthma."—  
Harper's.

**Right in Her Line.**

Gillet—The people in the flat above  
us are constantly fighting. Perry—  
Doesn't your wife object? Gillet—No.  
She likes to have a fuss made over her.  
—New York Times.

There is no great genius without a  
tincture of madness.—Seneca.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

**A WID  
THAT WA.**

By M. QUAD

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erary Press.

Moses Bateman was fifty-five years  
old when his wife died. He was a  
farmer just outside the town of Eu-  
clid, and as he kept a hired man and  
as there was much housework to be  
done the gossip said he would marry  
again.

As a matter of fact, Moses came to  
this decision. He could name over a  
dozen widows and old maids that  
might say yes if asked the question,  
but when he sat down to debit and  
credit them he was not at all satisfied.  
Something was wrong in every case  
and very much so with the Widow  
Hooper.

And what was principally wrong  
with the Widow Hooper was her looks.  
She was not a beauty. Indeed, she  
was not even fair looking. Moses'  
opinion of her appearance was, as he  
himself expressed it, "She is homely  
enough to stop a clock."

When he came to the Widow Hoop-  
er in his thoughts he uttered a  
"humph!" of contempt and yet at the  
same moment recalled the fact that  
she had asked him to bring her in a  
crock of butter. She lived in the  
town and had an income sufficient to  
support her. Yes, the butter must be  
delivered in a couple of days, and it  
was.

"Moses," said the widow, "you are  
a widower and I am a widow. You  
need a wife and I need a husband.  
Why should we beat around the bush,  
Moses?"

"Do you mean why shouldn't we get  
married?"

"Just that, Moses."

Moses Bateman was a plain spoken  
man on all subjects.

"Looky here, widow, I guess your  
heart is all right, but I used to feel  
mighty sorry for Dan Hooper."

"What about?"

"Because of your looks."

"Good Lord! But what's the matter  
with my looks?"

"You was born that way and can't  
help it, but to be honest with you, you  
are about the homeliest woman I ever  
saw. Now, don't get mad about it.  
You asked me a question and I an-  
swered it."

"And you don't want to marry me  
on account of my looks?"

"That's about it."

"Um! Moses, I never before asked  
a man to marry me, and I never shall  
again. Because why? Because I am  
going to marry you."

"I can't make it seem that way."

"Sorry I'm so homely, Moses, but I'm  
trusting in Providence."

To reach the town from the north or  
in the direction of Moses Bateman's  
farm one had to descend a long hill  
and cross a creek by a bridge. The  
Widow Hooper lived just at the foot  
of the hill. About a month after the  
widow had been turned down Moses  
came down the hill driving a young  
horse that wanted to bolt every min-  
ute. The widow was at her gate, and  
she held up her hand and said:

"Better look out, Moses!"

"What about?"

"I'm depending on Providence, and  
Providence is depending on this hill  
and that colt."

"As to how?"

"You keep right on and you'll see.  
Won't be any need of a breach of prom-  
ise suit."

Moses figured it out that the widow  
was looking for an accident to happen



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### The Proposed Electric Line.

The proposition to build an Electric Rail-  
way line from Deal's Island on the west to  
Sinepuxent Bay on the east, through  
Princess Anne and Snow Hill, appears  
to have the ring of actuality and not  
imaginative talk. For some years past  
there has been talk of such a line and  
its possibilities have been considered.  
The idea, however, does not seem to have  
assumed so definite proportions as at  
present. Mr. J. W. West, who is the  
leading figure in getting something ac-  
complished, is to be commended for his  
energy and zeal in the matter. That  
Mr. West has good reasons to be san-  
guine of the road's establishment, is  
emphasized by the visit of Col. Croskey,  
of Philadelphia, who last week was a  
visitor to the various towns of the two  
counties and the terminals of the pro-  
posed road. Col. Croskey was a guest  
of Princess Anne's Board of Trade last  
Wednesday and was subsequently enter-  
tained by the town officials of Worces-  
ter county. The report of his observa-  
tions and investigations will be awaited  
with interest.

There can be no doubt that a line such  
as is being considered would be a matter  
of great convenience to this vicinity,  
in the matter of both travel and trade.  
The territory to be traversed is exten-  
sive and the towns, villages and farm  
lands on its route ought to prove excel-  
lent feeders to the system, to say noth-  
ing of the possibilities of its terminals,  
both of which are upon navigable wa-  
ters.

If such a line is established, its value  
could be greatly enhanced by extension  
to Wicomico county. In fact, it might  
be well to consider the project in the  
light of a belt line which would embrace  
most of the important towns of the  
three lower counties. In such a form  
the probability of its becoming a paying  
investment would be increased.

The Eastern Shore has few, if any  
electric lines, and as compared with the  
Western Shore is behind the times. It  
would be a good thing to get our citi-  
zens waked up to such an innovation.  
A few more men like Mr. West would  
do a great deal towards making a pro-  
ject heretofore regarded as impractica-  
ble, thoroughly and absolutely prac-  
ticable.

### Judges and Their Salaries.

The bill in the Legislature to increase  
the pay of the Judiciary of the State is  
not wanting in merit. Although there  
are usually numerous applicants for the  
judgeship, it is not always possible to  
secure the best talent for the bench  
without some sacrifice on the part of  
those whose services are regarded as  
eminently satisfactory. As a rule the  
lawyer who is prominent in his profes-  
sion, and especially in the cities, has a  
practice that is very remunerative. To  
leave it to go upon the bench necessa-  
rily means more or less sacrifice.

There can certainly be no objection to  
paying our public officials well. In fact  
it has always been our belief that they  
should be so well paid as to preclude the  
necessity of a pension system. It would  
be wisdom to pay such men the salaries  
that they deserve and that fully com-  
pensate them for their service and then  
let them do their own saving. It would  
be better for all concerned and the ap-  
proach of old age and disqualification for  
service would be with more enjoyable  
reflections than those consequent upon  
a system that savors of destitution.

Of course both systems are subject to  
criticism; but when it is considered that  
a good and learned judge is one of our  
most important necessities, such criti-  
cism will have an offset in the knowl-  
edge that his salary is money well  
earned and worthily bestowed. The  
system of well paid officials in their  
period of efficiency is better than one of  
demands upon the treasury for the  
period of retirement. Our opinion in  
this respect should be reinforced by the  
fact that if salaries are suitably  
raised, the pension system, except as to  
present beneficiaries, should be abol-  
ished.

### Patentee Gets a Monopoly.

An important decision by the su-  
preme court of the United States con-  
struing the patent laws was read by  
Associate Justice Lurton, and a stir-  
ring dissent uttered by Chief Justice  
White, in which Justices Hughes and  
Lamar concurred. Under the decision  
the patentee has a complete monopoly  
and can dictate how articles can be  
sold.

It was a divided court ruling, for  
against this majority view, announced  
by Justice Lurton, three members of  
the bench—Chief Justice White and  
Justices Hughes and Lamar—dissent-  
ed.

Chief Justice White declared that  
congress should act to head off "un-  
old evils" that would follow the con-  
struction of the patent laws. He said  
that under the majority's ruling the  
patent laws could be stretched so as  
to include in a patent every conceiv-  
able thing used in every American  
household. The chief justice arraign-  
ed the majority opinion as breaking  
all precedents, the court in its past  
history never having failed to do its  
duty to the whole people and to stand  
as the protector of every household.

The supreme court in its decision  
upheld the right of holders of patents  
to make license restrictions as to the  
way the articles they sell may be used.

The case involved alleged infringem-  
ent in selling supplies for the use on  
a patented rotary mimeograph. A no-  
tice on the machine set forth that it  
was sold on the restriction that it was  
to be used only with supplies made by  
the patenting company. In announc-  
ing the opinion Justice Lurton said  
this conclusion resulted from the prop-  
er construction of the patent statutes.

### Roosevelt Wins Oklahoma.

At the end of an all-night session  
the Oklahoma Republican convention at  
Guthrie voted to send a solid dele-  
gation-at-large of ten men instructed  
for Theodore Roosevelt to the Chicago  
convention.

The present lineup of national dele-  
gates from Oklahoma is twelve for  
Roosevelt and four for Taft. Two of  
the latter probably will be contested.  
Two congressional districts are still  
to elect two delegates each.

### Urges Free Potatoes.

Senator Watson, of West Virginia,  
appeared before the finance committee  
of the senate and urged that the 25  
per cent duty on potatoes should be  
suspended by an amendment to the  
steel tariff bill.

He contended that free potatoes  
were necessary in view of the present  
low supply and the suspension should  
be until the next crop in September.  
No action was taken.

### Kills Husband and Herself.

Fearing that she was losing her hus-  
band's love because of her long ill-  
ness, Mrs. Andrew Buckholzer, of  
Cleveland, O., shot and killed him and  
then killed herself by cutting her  
throat before a mirror.

### Lorillard Spencer Dies.

Lorillard Spencer, millionaire, law-  
yer and one of the leaders of New-  
port's exclusive social set, died in  
Newport, R. I., aged fifty-two years. He  
was a member of many Newport, Bos-  
ton and New York clubs.

### Convention Railroad Rates.

Fares to the big national conven-  
tions in Chicago and Baltimore have  
been fixed at two cents a mile by the  
Central Passenger association.

### Drowned in Pool on His Farm.

William Hess, a farmer, living near  
Bethlehem, Pa., was drowned in a pool  
on his farm while on his way home.

### GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR quiet;  
winter clear, \$3.85 @ 4.10; city mills,  
fancy, \$5.85 @ 6.25.

WHEAT firm; No. 2 red, 99 @ \$1.00 1/4;  
No. 2 yellow, 74 1/2 @ 75c.

OATS firm; No. 2 white, 58 1/2 @ 59c;  
lower grades, 57c.

POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 16  
@ 17c; old roosters, 11c; turkeys, 16  
@ 17c. Dressed firm; choice fowls, 17c;  
old roosters, 12c; turkeys, 22c.

BUTTER quiet; creamery, fancy,  
32c per lb.

EGGS quiet; selected, 24 @ 26c;  
nearby, 23c; western, 23c.

POTATOES firm; bush, \$1.15 @ 1.18

### STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

LUCAS COUNTY,  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he  
is senior partner of the firm of F. J.  
Cheney & Co., doing business in the  
City of Toledo, County and State  
aforesaid, and that said firm will pay  
the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for  
each and every case of Catarrh that  
cannot be cured by the use of Hall's  
Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed  
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tion.

### Seafood Cannery For Crisfield.

The National Canning Company, a  
New York city corporation, has leased  
the brick building formerly owned by  
the Long, Coulbourn Company, of Cris-  
field, and is fitting it up for the canned  
food business. The corporation has con-  
tracted to spend several thousand dol-  
lars in putting in concrete floors, benches,  
etc., and will have one of the most sani-  
tary plants in the State. The company  
will shortly begin to pack herring roe  
and shad roe, and later in the summer  
will can soft shell crabs, crab meat and  
green turtle. They expect to give em-  
ployment to more than a hundred per-  
sons.

You can say goodbye to constipation  
with a clear conscience if you use  
Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have  
been permanently cured by their use.  
For sale by all dealers.

### A Tragedy In A Court.

In a flame of unprecedented outlawry  
the entire human fabric of the Carroll  
County Circuit Court, in session in  
Hillsville, Virginia, last Thursday, was  
wiped out by assassination.

Just as Judge Thornton Massie had  
sentenced Floyd Allen to one year in  
prison for aiding in the escape of county  
prisoners, Allen and his brothers and  
their friends, all believed to be moon-  
shiners, opened fire with revolvers.

Judge Massie fell dead in his place  
on the bench on the first volley.

Then the weapons were turned on  
Commonwealth's Attorney William Fos-  
ter, and he sank to the floor with sev-  
eral bullets in his brain, death being  
instantaneous.

Sheriff Lewis Webb, making a fran-  
tic effort to reach the ringleaders, was  
shot dead before he had taken ten steps.

Dexter Goad, clerk of the court, re-  
ceived a bullet wound in the neck and  
is desperately hurt. His death would  
mean the wiping out of the last vestige  
of the court's officers.

Several of the jurors who had tried  
the case were seriously wounded.

The outlaws made a dash for the  
mountains and Allen who is wounded is  
held at Hillsville. A large reward has  
been offered by the Governor of Virgini-  
a for the outlaw's capture and troops  
have been ordered to hold themselves  
in readiness when called for.

### Glorious News

comes from D. J. T. Curtis, Dwight,  
Kan. He writes: "I not only have  
cured bad cases of eczema in my  
patients with Electric Bitters, but also  
cured myself by them of the same  
disease. I feel sure they will benefit  
any case of eczema." This shows  
what thousands have proved, that  
Electric Bitters is a most effective  
blood purifier. Its an excellent remedy  
for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers,  
boils and running sores. It stimulates  
liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poi-  
sons, helps digestion, builds up the  
strength. Price 50 cents. Satisfaction  
guaranteed by Omar A. Jones, Drug-  
gist, Princess Anne, Md.

### Financial Statement

Of the Fidelity and Casualty Company, of  
New York.  
Capital.....\$1,000,000.00  
Total Admitted Assets.....10,482,662.48  
Total Liabilities.....7,557,225.49  
Surplus.....2,925,436.99  
ROBERT F. MADDOX, Agent,  
Princess Anne, Md.

## Public Sale

The subscriber will offer at public  
sale on the premises known as the  
"Albert Sudler Farm," about one-half  
mile from Westover, Maryland, on

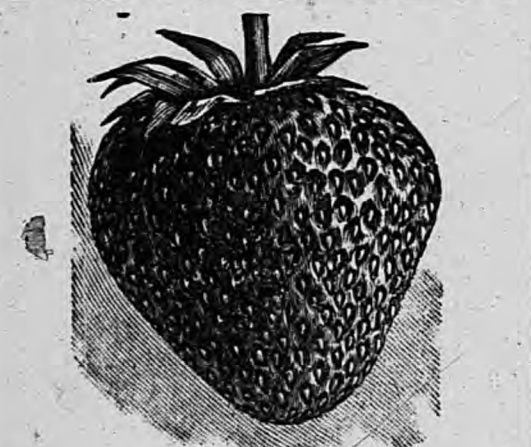
Wednesday, March 27th, 1912,

commencing about 10 o'clock a. m., the  
following Personalty: Two Belgian  
Brood Mares, heavy with foal, will  
weigh 1400 pounds each; 11 and 12  
years old; Black Horse, 10 years old,  
weight 1250 pounds; Bay Driving Mare,  
7 years old, will weigh 1000 pounds;  
one Percheron Colt, one year old on  
the 16th of April, weighing 700 pounds;  
one pair of Mules, 12 years old, weigh-  
ing 1100 pounds each; one Cow 7 years  
old, will be fresh in June; one Cow 5  
years old, giving milk; one Durham  
Heifer, giving milk; Four Brood Sows,  
darroco all bred; one registered darroco  
male, one McCormick Grass Mower,  
Osborne Disc Harrow, Superior Grain  
Drill, good as new; Black Hawk Corn  
Planter, Brown sulky corn plow, Deere  
Corn Plow, two spike-tooth harrows,  
spring-tooth harrow, grass seeder,  
three breaking plows, feed cooker,  
Auburn farm wagon and bed, top buggy,  
hay rack, two sets of work harness,  
single set of driving harness, about 500  
bushels of corn, steel range, three  
heating stoves, two bedsteads, one new;  
one cupboard and other articles too  
numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—On all sums of  
\$10.00 and under the cash will be re-  
quired; over that amount a credit of  
four months will be given on a bankable  
note with approved security with inter-  
est from day of sale.

P. M. RADABAUGH.

## Strawberry Plants FOR SALE



Chesapeake, Mascot, Bethel, Mission-  
ary, Helen Davis and Early Ozark,  
which is the best early berry grown,  
large, firm and productive. Will give  
you the right price.

W. J. ROBERTSON,  
Route 2 PRINCESS ANNE, MD.

This Will Interest Mothers.  
Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Child-  
ren relieve Feverishness, Headaches, Bad  
Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and re-  
gulate the Bowels and destroy worms. They  
break up colds in 24 hours. Used by  
mothers for 22 years. All Druggists, 25c  
sample package. Address, A. S. Olmsted,  
LeRoy, N.Y.

PARKER'S  
HAIR BALSAM  
Grows and beautifies the hair.  
Prevents itching scalp.  
Keeps the hair from falling out.  
Restores color to the hair.  
Prevents dandruff.  
Keeps the hair from turning gray.  
Keeps the hair from becoming thin.  
Keeps the hair from becoming brittle.  
Keeps the hair from becoming dry.  
Keeps the hair from becoming itchy.  
Keeps the hair from becoming sore.  
Keeps the hair from becoming inflamed.  
Keeps the hair from becoming infected.  
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Keeps the hair from becoming repulsive.  
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Keeps the hair from becoming unwholesome.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unhealthy.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unhappy.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unlovely.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unattractive.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unbecoming.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unseemly.  
Keeps the hair from becoming unbecomely.  
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A Quarter Century Before the Public.  
Over five million samples given away each  
year. The constant and increasing sales  
from samples, proves the genuine merit of  
Allen's Foot-Powder, the antiseptic powder to  
be shaken into the shoes for Corns, Bunions,  
Aching, Swollen, Tender feet. Sample FREE.  
Address, A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

## EASTER OPENING

Special Exhibit of the New Spring  
Styles for Women and Children

AT DICKINSON'S

Wednesday and Thursday,  
March 27th and 28th

On these days it will be our purpose to show our immense stock of  
goods without importuning you too strongly to buy. We hope for the  
attendance of everyone interested, who desires to be well informed con-  
cerning the dominant fashions for Spring and Summer 1912.

You are Invited—Everybody is Invited, to this our Most  
Brilliant of all Spring Openings

### Our Easter Display of Coat Suits, Skirts and Waists is very interesting

Our new spring suits are decidedly in  
advance of the spring styles now being  
shown and embody the newest fashion  
touches which will mark the correct  
late spring and summer models. The  
materials include whipcords and serges  
in plain and fancy trimmed effects in  
the newest spring shades.

In Waists  
we offer a wide range of models from  
the plain tailored to the elaborately  
trimmed.

House Dresses  
neat, pretty and sensible. We invite  
thorough and critical inspection.

New Underwear  
A splendid line of muslin, cambric  
and nainsook underwear all neatly made  
and attractively trimmed with lace and  
embroideries. All widths—all prices.

### Opening Exhibition of Millinery. Hats to suit every individ- ual taste

Our hats this season are full of dis-  
tinction, they are chic, they are above  
all becoming and offered to you at sen-  
sible prices. The offerings this season  
will be characterized by masterpieces  
of American and European designs.  
Our Milliners have reached the climax  
of beauty in these attractive spring and  
summer creations. The new "Derby"  
will be on display. Also the "1880"  
and "Envelope" models.

Mourning Millinery a Specialty  
Also a splendid showing of Misses  
and Children's Easter Hats.

### Opening Display of Laces And Embroideries

Surely the adorning of a lingerie  
waist or dress was never simpler or  
pleasanter than this spring with such a  
wealth of new, dainty, embroideries of  
every description from which to make  
a selection.

## INVITATION

Your presence is requested on one or both of the above dates—We  
want you to acquaint yourself with what is newest and best for Spring and  
Summer 1912. Polite and attentive salespeople will be in attendance and  
will gladly answer all questions without any obligation on your part to buy.  
For the entertainment of all visitors

## SPECIAL MUSIC WILL BE RENDERED

from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Ladies' Waiting Room,  
in rear of Cloak Room is at your service. . .

### New Spring And Summer Dress Goods

Embracing Novelty Suitings, San  
Toy, Serges, Marquisesettes, French  
Ginghams, Colored Lines, Wonder  
Silks, Holly Batiste, Embroidered  
Batistes, Ratine, Cotton Voiles, in  
plain, stripe and bordered.

Rain Coats  
The New Rubberized Rain Coats are  
particularly fetching, all sizes, from  
\$4.50 to \$12.50.

New Silks For Easter.  
An elaborate showing of Foulards,  
Messalines, Soft Taffetas, in every  
new weave, design and color that fash-  
ion demands for evening and street  
wear. Prices range from 50 cents to  
\$1.50 yard.

### An Unusual Display of Furniture

We are ready to present for your in-  
spection the new designs in Furniture,  
which comprises everything needed for  
any home. We also direct your at-  
tention to our new line of Mattings,  
Rugs, Curtains and General House  
Furnishings.  
Wool Fibre Rugs (36x64) Price, \$1.00.  
Wool Fibre Druggets (9x12) Price,  
\$8.50.

Splendid Line of Notions  
Gloves, Silk Hose, Handkerchiefs,  
etc.

Taffeta Underskirts,  
from \$2.75 to \$10.00.

Messaline Underskirts,  
all colors, from \$2.25 to \$6.75.

Wednesday and Thursday, March 27 and 28

## W. S. DICKINSON & SON,

Leaders in Dress Goods, Notions,  
Carpets, Furniture,  
Wall Paper and Millinery,  
China and Cut Glass.

POCOMOKE CITY, MARYLAND

## Attorney's Sale OF VALUABLE Real Estate

Under and by virtue of the power  
authority, contained in a purchase  
money lien, given by Margaret  
Bruce to William E. Walton, said li-  
being among the covenants of a de-  
between the said Bruce of the one pa-  
and the said Walton and wife of the oth-  
part dated the 17th day of Nov. 19,  
and recorded among the Land Recor-  
of Somerset County, Maryland, in Lib-  
S. F. D., No. 55, folios 459, 460, 461,  
fault having been made in the paymer  
and covenants provided in said lien, t  
undersigned, attorney named therei  
will sell at public auction in front  
the Court House door, in Prince  
Anne, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1912,

at about the hour of 1.30 p. m., all  
the following described real estate, situate  
in Dublin Election District, in Som-  
set County, and more particularly de-  
scribed, as follows:

First—All that lot or parcel of land,  
situate near Costen Station, adjoining  
the lands owned or recently owned by  
John L. Paradee, Huett Costen and  
the late Elizabeth Dryden, and also  
adjoining the right of way of the New  
York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad  
Company, and containing

133 ACRES,

more or less, and being the same land  
which was conveyed unto the said Wil-  
liam E. Walton by Noah W. Mc-  
wife, by deed dated the 23rd of Janu-  
January, 1909, and recorded among the  
land records of said Somerset county  
in Liber S. F. D., No. 50, folios 213,  
etc.

Second—Also all that lot or parcel of  
land situate and lying on the County  
Road leading from Costen Station to  
Wellington, and containing

44 1-2 ACRES

of land, more or less, which is particu-  
larly described, by courses and dis-  
tances, metes and bounds, in a deed un-  
to said William E. Walton from Robert  
H. Jordan, dated the 4th day of Decem-  
ber, 1909, and recorded among the said  
land records in Liber S. F. D., No. 53,  
folio 90, etc.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Title papers  
at purchaser's expense.

JOSHUA W. MILES,  
Attorney.

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## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF MARYLAND Order No. 597

In the matter of the Application of the New  
York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad  
Company for Approval and Authoriza-  
tion of the issue by said Company of an  
increase of its Capital Stock to the  
amount of \$1,250,000 as a stock dividend  
to its stockholders of their partial re-  
coument on account of certain ex-  
penditures made out of the Company's Sur-  
plus net earnings, which but for such  
expenditure thereof would have been  
available for dividends.

Before the Public Service Commission of  
Maryland. Case No. 20.

The above entitled matter being under  
consideration, it is this 21st day of Feb-  
ruary, 1912, by the Public Service Commis-  
sioner of Maryland.

Ordered: That the same be, and it is heret-  
set for hearing at the office of the Commis-  
sioner, Baltimore, Maryland, on WEDNES-  
DAY, MARCH 27th, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m.  
provided the applicant causes a copy of the  
order to be published at least three times  
before the said 27th day of March, 1912, in  
some newspaper published in each of the  
counties of Wicomico, Somerset and Wor-  
cester, in the State of Maryland, and at  
least three times before said date of hearing in  
some daily newspaper published in Baltimore  
City, Maryland, which has a circulation in  
the counties aforesaid.

J. W. HERING,  
B. T. FENDALL,  
Commissioner

True Copy. Test: Louis M. Duval, Secretary.

## Order Nisi.

H. Fillmore Lankford, ex parte, trust cre-  
ated by mortgage from John Tilghman  
and wife to Kate Hastings, assigned  
to H. Fillmore Lankford, for the  
purpose of foreclosure.

No. 2496, Chancery. In the Circuit Court of  
Somerset County.

Ordered by the Circuit Court for Somers-  
et County, in Equity, this 14th day of February  
A. D. 1912, that the report of H. Fillmore  
Lankford, the assignee mentioned in the for-  
going report of sale, and the sale by him re-  
ported, and the distribution of the proceeds  
of said sale by him made, be and the same  
are hereby ratified and confirmed, unless  
cause to the contrary appear by excep-  
tion filed before the 14th day of March, 1912,  
provided a copy of this order be inserted in  
some newspaper printed in Somerset county  
on each of three successive weeks before 14th  
day of March, 1912.

The report states the amount of sales to  
be \$150.00.

HENRY L. D. STANFORD, Judge

True Copy. Test: S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk

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## Order Nisi.

Edward T. Landon, ex parte, Under  
power in mortgage from Shadrach Selby.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County,  
No. 2728, Chancery.

Ordered, that the sale of the property  
mentioned in these proceedings and the dis-  
tribution of the proceeds thereof made an-  
reported by Edward T. Landon, Assignee  
be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to  
the contrary thereof be shown on or be-  
fore the 13th day of April, 1912, provided, a  
copy of this order be inserted in some  
newspaper printed in Somerset county, on  
each of three successive weeks before the  
13th day of April next.

The report states in amount of sales to  
be \$100.00.

S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk

True Copy. Test: S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk

## Auditor's Notice.

Wm. W. D. Kelly vs. Robert Wheatley and  
others.

No. 2695 Chancery. In the Circuit Court of  
Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds  
of the sale of the property of Gertrude Han-  
ley, deceased, made and reported by H.  
O. Dashiell, trustee, are hereby notified  
to file their claims with the vouchers there-  
duly authenticated according to law, with-  
in one month from the tenth day of April  
1912, as I shall on that day at my office  
Princess Anne, proceed to distribute the  
sets of said estate among the persons ther-  
to entitled according to law.

E. D. McMASTER, Auditor

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Notices of Marriages and Deaths will be published free—but Obituaries must be paid for at the rate of five cents per line.

### Business Pointers

Ten (10) cents a line for the first insertion and five (5) thereafter.

Blacksmithing in all its branches. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

The Dock Ash Range a specialty. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

Sprayers of all description and spraying materials at Hayman's. Don't neglect your trees.

We invite any Gang Plow to meet ours in the field in a plowing contest. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

FOR SALE—Two Coach Colts, will be 3 years old in June, good lookers and sound. A. WOLFE, Westover, Md.

FOR SALE—One Cow, will soon be fresh, and a Sidney Prince Colt, 1 year old. Geo. L. Powell, Rehoboth, Md.

Farming Implements of all kinds—Machinery and repairs for same—Wire Fencing. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne.

Oliver Chilled Plows—Sulkey Plows, Oliver Chilled Gang Plows and Planet Junior Cultivator. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

ANY place in town, by the Somerset taxic services, only 15 cents; night, 25 cents; waiting time, 30 cents per hour. Local Phone 80.

FOR SALE—Klondike, Climax, Missionary and Gandy Strawberry Plants at \$1.00 per thousand. Alton E. Dryden, Princess Anne, Route 1.

FOR SALE—A fine Horse Cart of our own completion—made of the best selected materials and guaranteed in every particular. E. S. Pusey.

WANTED—Eggs and chickens for cash. Notify me at my residence, Antioch avenue extended, Princess Anne. E. F. MILLIGAN.

FOR SALE—Missionary and Gandy Strawberry Plants, Asparagus, Roots, and one young Horse, 4 years old. CHARLES H. SPEIGHTS, Westover, Md.

FOR SALE—Pair of Mules, will weigh about 1100 lbs. each, ages 10 and 12 years, and three "Good Friday" colts, one and two years old. JOHN A. POPE, Route 3, Princess Anne, Md.

Persons desiring to buy farm land in Somerset county will find it to their interest to consult the undersigned who has for sale some good farms that can be bought cheap. LEVIN H. HALL, Surveyor of Somerset County.

Standard Farming Implements of every description, including all necessary repairs for same—call and see us. Splendid display of single-trees of finest white oak. E. S. Pusey.

The Iron Age Potato Planter is guaranteed to give 10% better value than any planter on the market. We have them. Also a full line of Iron Age Tools which we would be glad to show you.

Hayman's Hardware Department.

We stock in gas engines, Fairbanks & Morse and New Holland. Will be glad to show any prospective customer those in years of service. We defy competition as to quality or price on the above. Hayman's Hardware Dept.

SEEDS—Field and Garden—We have a full stock at right prices. Our line of Homles' garden seeds have no superior, as has been proven by past results. Don't overlook us, can save you money. Hayman's Hardware Dept.

CAPT. S. W. CROSWELL—will place the Schooner J. A. Crosswell on the Manokin River beginning March 15th, to carry freight to and from Princess Anne to Baltimore. Your orders solicited. Address him at 1120 East 20th, Street Baltimore, Md.

You may now obtain at a great sacrifice, in light, medium or heavy weight of the latest models Suits to measure, \$13.00, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 formerly \$18.00, \$22.50, \$28.00 and \$35.00. We guarantee to fit and please you. WILSON & BOWLAND, Princess Anne.

NOTICE—I will place the Schooner Clark and Willie on the Manokin River after March 15th, 1912, to carry freight to and from Princess Anne to Baltimore. Your orders solicited. Address all communications to CAPT. GEO. W. WALLACE, 139 N. Broadway, Baltimore.

Farms wanted at once. If you want to sell your farm list at once with F. B. Allen, at Princess Anne. I represent the E. A. Strout Farm Agency, of New York City. Their advertising talks. My assistance to the buyer and seller is valuable and reliable. See Allen soon if you want to sell.

When you have to select from the lines of plows, both riding and walkers, manufactured by John Deere Plow Co., South Bend Chilled Plow Co., Syracuse Chilled Plow Co., which are the standards of this country; it must prove of convenience. We have them and prices are right.

Hayman's Hardware Dept.

In selecting our line of Implements we are not guided entirely by price. There are cheap Johnnies and faddists in the implement business that the farmer must reckon with. In meeting this problem, ask where such product and their representative will be five years hence. We carry only standard Tools and repairs for everything we sell.

Hayman's Hardware Department.

To Mr. E. S. PUSEY:

Dear Sir:—We note your challenge on March 12th for demonstration of gang plows. We accept the same for any day you will suggest. You are aware that the gang plow doesn't justify many of our farmers, and in order to make the demonstration interesting we will, on this occasion, demonstrate our full line of plows and invite you to participate in the same with your full line.

Respectfully,  
C. H. HAYMAN.

The date on the label of your paper shows the time to which your subscription is paid. Please look at it.

Local and Miscellaneous

The old maid who says she has refused a lot of men often refers to book agents.

You may think you know more than your father, but you will notice that he pays the rent.

Mr. Thomas H. Bock attended a committee meeting of the State Board of Education in Baltimore last week.

—Only the foolish barber would have the cheek to cut an acquaintance.

—Persons who are prodigal in giving advice are usually miserly in lending assistance.

—Persons who sit down on the spur of the moment usually make some very sharp remarks.

—The reason some persons don't get justice is that hanging is prohibited in a good many of the States.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas Taylor, Jr., left for Richmond, Virginia, today (Tuesday) and will return home Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wilson and granddaughter, Miss Neta I. Thomas, of Salisbury spent Sunday in Princess Anne.

—Among various appointments made by the Governor last week is that of Aden Davis, Jr., of Marion, as a Notary Public.

—Tomorrow (Wednesday) Mr. A. E. Thompson will offer for sale a lot of property on the Taylor farm, near Mr. Tobe Holland's Store.

—Miss Jeannette Brown, who has been in Clarksburg, W. Va., for some months past, is at home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Brown.

—Messrs. W. S. Dickinson & Son, of Pocomoke City, announces in this issue their annual spring opening on March 27th and 28th. See add for particulars.

—Mr. William W. Hastings, of Baltimore, who has been spending several days with relatives in Princess Anne, returned to the city yesterday morning.

—Mr. William F. Dashiell, a retired merchant of Dames Quarter, is critically ill at the home of his son, Mr. S. Frank Dashiell, Clerk of the Circuit Court, on Main street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ruhl have as their guest at the "Mansion" the former's mother, Mrs. M. C. Ruhl, of Baltimore, who arrived in Princess Anne last Thursday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Barkley, of Baltimore, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barkley, at Palmetto. They expect to be in Somerset about two weeks.

—The ladies of Salem Methodist Protestant Church will hold a Supper and Festival in the hall at Fairmount, on Thursday night, March 28th. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

—Last Tuesday was the last day this season for the taking of oysters by dredges from the waters of the State of Maryland. Tongers, however, will continue, as the season for taking oysters by that method does not expire until April 25th.

—A newspaper offered a certain prize for the best answer to the conundrum, "Why is a newspaper like a woman?" The prize was won by a lady in Oklahoma, who sent the following: "Because every man should have one of his own and not run after his neighbors."—Bedford Democrat.

—Lenten services at St. Andrew's Church as follows: Week days (Saturdays excepted) at 5 o'clock; Sundays, Holy Communion at 7.30 o'clock in the morning and preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7.30 p. m., excepting the first Sunday in the month when the services (Lentany and Holy Communion) are at 11 o'clock a. m.

—Captain Bennett and six men were rescued in a breeches buoy by the Ocean City Life Savers, at Ocean City, Md., on Wednesday, from the three-masted schooner, John W. Hall, of Wilmington, Del. The vessel stranded three miles south of Ocean City, while bound from Wilmington, N. C., to New York, with a cargo of lumber. The schooner was a total loss. The rescues were effected with great difficulty.

—Mrs. G. W. Taylor, of Salisbury, will have as a Trimmer, Madam Rose, of Philadelphia. She comes highly recommended, having several years experience on the famous "Gage & App's" hat, and will make the tailored hat a specialty. Miss Mary Kent formerly of the firm of Kent & Smith will assist Mrs. Taylor in her store this season, and will be pleased to see her many friends.

—In our issue of last week we published a copy of the bill, providing for the issue of bonds to improve the water works and construct a sewerage system in Princess Anne. We are advised that the copy furnished us, and which we reprinted, contained an error, in that the bill, as passed, provides for the reduction of \$500.00 of the said bonds, annually, instead of \$5000.00, as stated in our copy.

—Choose for the trial a windy day, when the air is free from rain or snow. Take a bright, clean hand-saw, or any other polished metal object about two feet in length, and having a straight edge. Hold the saw or metallic object at right angles to the direction of the wind. Incline it about 35 or 40 degrees to the horizon, and with the back up, so that the moving air, in striking the surface, will glance upward and flow over the edge of the metal, as water flows over a dam. Sight carefully along the edge of the metal object, and you will see the wind or air-waves pouring over the edge in graceful curves.

—Youth's Companion.

—Mr. R. B. Cullen and his daughter, Miss Lillian, of Hahnab, spent several days last week in Baltimore.

—Fishermen in the Wicomico river are operating their nets very successfully, making unusually large catches of white perch.

—Mrs. J. Thomas Taylor returned from Baltimore Saturday, where she attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah E. Kilgore.

—Mr. Emerson C. Harrington, Comptroller of the State Treasury, last Friday made public a quarterly distribution of the State school tax and also of the free schoolbook fund. The school tax distribution amounts to \$300,000, while the book fund totals \$37,500. The amount apportioned to Somerset county is as follows: School tax, \$6,950.95; Book fund, \$850.37.

—Persons who advertise in the MARYLANDER AND HERALD and who desire changes made in their advertisements will please get such changes in to us the first part of the week. It is to your interest that we get out a good paper for the people, but we cannot do it if everything piles on us at the end of the week. Correspondents are also requested to get their letters in not later than Saturday at noon.

—Miss Annie McGrath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. McGrath, of Mt. Vernon district, celebrated her eighteenth birthday on the evening of March 9th. The guests were entertained with games and music. Miss McGrath was the recipient of many beautiful presents. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. James McGrath; Misses Ola and Lillie Ross, Estelle Harrington, Janie Kirwan, Bessie Turner, Minnie, Carrie and Lillian McGrath; Messrs. Robert Koss, Herbert Ross, Harry and Willie Bounds, Samuel Pritchett, James Kirwan, Albert Bounds, Harry McIntyre, Linwood Taylor, Levin H. Hall, Omar McIntyre, Benjamin Harrington, Lewis J. Davis, Arthur Dryden, Robert Bounds, Harold J. McGrath.

—Last Monday night Mr. William S. Jones, of near Princess Anne, was honored with a dance by a number of his friends in honor of his birthday. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hitch, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Prior, Miss Bertha Hitch; Messrs. Raymond Hitch, Calvin Livingston, Ulysses Wimbro, all of Salisbury; Mr. William Downes and Miss Bessie Downes, of Pittsville; Mr. and Mrs. James L. Dykes, of Oak Hall, Virginia; Mr. La Sell Dykes and Miss Stella Dykes, of Fruitland; Miss Daisy V. Ellis, of Snow Hill; Mr. James Brittingham, of Tasley, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lester, Misses Edith Ball, Inez E. Lester, Lolah Peterman, Georgie Crissey, Laura Crissey, Ethel Travis; Messrs. Eddie Crissey, Gorman Pusey, Edward Dillake, Warren Pusey, W. A. Ruark and Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Pusey. Refreshments were served and at a late hour all departed for their homes, after spending a very pleasant evening. The music was furnished by Mrs. Marion Prior and Mr. John W. Hitch.

—To Mothers—And Others.

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Miss Eleanor Brattan returned to Princess Anne last Friday from a visit to Baltimore.

—Last Sunday, March 17th, was St. Patrick's Day and contrary to what might have been expected, the weather was of the most beautiful character. The anniversary is usually attended with foul weather.

—Mr. Lawrence L. Pusey, spent several days last week in Wilmington, Delaware, attending the session of the Lay Electoral Conference, as the representative from Antioch Methodist Episcopal Church, Princess Anne.

A Compliment to Mr. Townsend.

The Baltimore Evening Sun, of the 12th, from its Annapolis correspondent, has the following complimentary remarks about Mr. Z. W. Townsend, of this town:

"Never say old-timers in the State House, has the House billroom been in better shape than at this session, and Z. W. Townsend, in charge of that apartment, has been overwhelmed with appreciative congratulations. Not only are all the printed bills carefully stacked, so that any given measure may be picked out at a moment's notice, but also the name of the sponsor is displayed, together with a note on the subject of the bill. Above all, however, instead of keeping the room open only while the House is sitting, Mr. Townsend is on hand 14 hours a day and the room is open from early morning till late at night. But Mr. Townsend is as modest as he is courteous and good-natured, and to all encomiums merely remarks: 'I'm glad you are pleased, but this is what I'm paid for.'"

"Mr. Townsend hails from Princess Anne, Somerset county, and the Princess should be proud of her representative."

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# THE NATIONAL GRANGE

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## WOMAN FAVORS THE GRANGE

Missouri Lady Presents Strong and Convincing Arguments in Advocating Membership in Order.

In a paper recently read before a large meeting in Missouri, a lady from that state presented a strong argument for membership in the grange, a portion of which is quoted herewith. She said:

"Numberless reasons may be given in answer to the question, why join the grange, and the farmer and his family are the greatest import to the answers. Surely it should be given a thought. What development and opportunities may not be found in the grange? It is inexpensive; it is the farmers' only organization national in character; it has stood the test for forty-five years, and has never been found wanting in any respect. It has exerted greater influence in securing state and national legislation in the interest of agriculture than any agency in the country; it is offered by those engaged in agriculture, who know from experience the needs of farmers, and are sincere in their desires to aid them in every possible way. It is the duty of farmers to co-operate with one another, if they would successfully meet the influence of organization in every direction and secure for wife and home a fair share of what the harvest yields.

"It has secured national legislation in the 'Oleomargarine law, the establishment of the interstate commerce commission, the establishment of rural free mail delivery, and state legislation in every state. In the interest of the farming population it has exerted the greatest influence known in breaking up the isolation of farm life and making it attractive to the boys and girls and bringing the desired results—sunshine and happiness—into the farm home to such an extent as has never before existed.

"In my judgment there is no agency better fitted to restore to the farmer his place of dignity and honor in the great conflict of life than the grange. It represents the oldest and, indeed, the only necessary industry and the most honorable of human occupations."

### Starts Home Improvements.

What the grange can do to lead public opinion towards community improvement of the practical sort was well illustrated in a town in one of the western states recently. At the grange meeting the subject for discussion was what could be done in improvement work in the community. Finally one member suggested that in improved homes was where the work ought to start.

After much discussion it was agreed that, so far as possible, every family represented would paper, paint, or in some way improve at least one room in their own home during the next thirty days. The idea was undertaken with enthusiasm and everybody took hold with a will. More than one room was tackled in nearly every home, and improvements were undertaken that had not even been thought of previously. Such a brightening up of homes in that rural community as followed was almost incredible, but the idea became so contagious that there was no stopping it. This was practical grange leadership, surely, along lines abundantly worth while.

### Figures on the Order's Growth.

Some idea of the way the grange has grown may be had from the following membership figures. Probably few people have realized there was so much to the grange; but these figures tell the story:

During the year ending October 1, 1911, 513 subordinate granges were organized and reorganized in 29 states, a larger number than has been established in any year since 1876, the marvelous growth during that year later proving to be of a temporary nature. The net gain in paid membership during the past year as shown by the treasurer's receipts has been 77,289, indicating a net gain in nearly every state. During the past ten years the net gain in paid membership has been 305,45, an average yearly gain of 30,574 members.

The present membership in the country as a whole is about 800,000, distributed over 30 states; with a prospect that the present year will witness the largest membership gain that any year has ever brought.

### Memorial Day Observed.

The granges in many states are setting apart a distinct date for a memorial day, and the present season will see such an occasion widely observed. The grange has a beautiful burial service, used on the occasion of the death of its members, and will now adopt a formal memorial day service once a year.

### Ladies Often Officers.

It is not a rare occurrence for all the officers in a subordinate grange to be ladies, the latter thus taking the lead in every department of the grange work for that year. And it is the almost invariable experience that that grange has a year of decided success.

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## LONDON STORES.

When Customers Enter They Are Almost Compelled to Buy.

First and foremost the English excel in salesmanship. Once having got a possible purchaser inside the door, they reason he should be made profitable to them. The floor manager does not assume that attitude of royal indifference as with us. He watches the struggle between salesperson and customer. If the latter shows signs of escaping into the open with his purse intact another clerk is brought forward as a reinforcement. Some establishments still lay fines on clerks who do not effect sales, but the system of inciting the sales force to its utmost efforts by giving percentages is now coming into vogue.

The method that London stores have of letting a cash girl conduct a customer who has finished his purchases to a central cash desk and wrapping counter, where he stands in line, keeping an anxious eye on his goods till they are parcelled, seems to us archaic and cumbersome. An Oxford street merchant, however, reasons differently: "When a patron has finished his purchases he is better off of the way of new customers. English men and women prefer privacy when they are making purchases, which would be impossible were customers allowed to sit at the counter, awaiting their packages. Then the wrapping force works more rapidly when the patron watches and urges haste."

I did not see how that particular force could work any more slowly, but his other argument might have some merit.—Business.

## SHETLAND'S TAME GULLS.

Each Family Has Its Own Flock and the Children Feed Them.

There are many small villages in the world that have only one street, but Lerwick, in Shetland, besides having only a single street, possesses only one tree. There are no birds there, not even a sparrow, but the seagulls are plentiful.

The seagulls are the sparrows of Lerwick, and as such they have a greater share in the town's life than the sparrows of London. In the morning you will note that a seagull sits on every chimney pot. Seagulls swoop and hover over every roof in town. The air is full of their strange, high, plaintive, haunting cries.

Every house has its own familiar seagulls and every street its own band of them. But they never mix. The children in each house have a pet name for their own particular seagulls, and having called them by those names, they feed them every day.

Each seagull knows what is meant for him. No bird attached to one house ever seeks to eat the food scattered from the house next door. He does not dare to do so. So all day long the seagulls hover and call over the roofs of Lerwick.

The people of the town, if they come across a little pile of rice laid upon the roadway, step over it with care. They know that it has been placed there for some seagull. And at night the seagulls leave their appointed chimney pots and fly gracefully away to their resting places on the rocks of the Isle of Ness.—Fruit Magazine.

### The Height of Hopefulness.

He—After I am out of college, darling, I may have to wait a few months before I can make enough to support you. She—it is so hard to wait. He (bravely)—I know it. But of course you know the world doesn't know anything about me yet.—Exchange.

### A Feline Delusion.

"Your cat made an awful noise in the back garden last night, and—" "I'm awfully sorry, Mr. Houston, but since he ate the canary he thinks he can sing."—London Opinion.

### Confidences.

Gwenille—Why did you refuse him if he is such a prudent man? Gertie—He said he thought if he got married he could save more money.—London Opinion.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

# Lack of the Penitential Note

THE worship of the modern church is a many-toned symphony, but in many cases one chord is lacking—the penitential note. The Christianity of many people is a complacent contemplation—not a sorrow for sin and an agony of moral aspiration. The creed of the multitude is: "God is in his heaven, all's right with the world and us." This mood of superficial contentment is not that with which "godliness" is joined in the beatitude and declared to be great "gain," but is really a state of indifference with respect to such ideas as atonement and regeneration. Hence we find that, while crowds jostle one another on the sunny way to the halls of Calaphas, or even the Temple courts, the pathway to dark Gethsemane tempts but few—here and there a Magdalene or a contrite publican whose vital powers have burned almost to the socket—and yet Jesus Christ spent more time, at least more congenial hours, with publicans than he did with Pharisees, and hardly ever referred to the Sadducees except to expose their shallow philosophy and their still shallower hearts. Somehow the Bible does strike the penitential note—somehow its promises are mostly to humble and contrite souls.

It is worthy to note that two renowned preachers, both Englishmen, it happens, have lately sounded a warning against the spirit of smug Pharisaism which seems to possess large sections of the modern church. Thus Dr. J. H. Jowett says: "Everything is not right among us. We are busy, but we are not impressive. We may interest, but we do not constrain. We may tickle men's palates, but we do not make them feel the bitterness of sin." So Rev. Charles Brown rebukes the modern church for its self-righteousness and "unctuous rectitude," for it has no outgoings of self-denying and self-giving service to the people without who need help. "There are churches absolutely destitute of any passion in this direction," he declares. "There are multitudes of our church members who do not care. They never give a thought to the subject. They belong to a church as they belong to a club. They pay their seat subscriptions, they expect their reserved place, they go to hear their favorite preacher; and it ends there."

### Warning Worth Heeding.

These warnings are needed, though the indictment may easily be made more severe than the facts warrant. It behoves us not to berate others in respect of self-righteousness and "elder brother" unconcern for the prodigals, whether returning or unreturned, but to look into our own hearts to see whether they are sepulchres of pride instead of sanctuaries of penitence. Yet we must not be unkind of certain drifts of the times, in which the leaders of the church are in danger of being caught. It may be, as the Christian World (London) thinks, that preachers "have allowed their personal and professional interest in the fascinating intellectual problems of theology and criticism to deflect them too much from the line of preaching directly to the heart and mind of average modern congregations." It is not fair to blame only the preachers for such loss of theunction of a prophetic message, for the churches in the long run, and of the most part, have just such preachers as they want and as they make, and none others. It is a time, not for mutual misunderstanding, much less for mutual recrimination, between clergy and laity, but for a general searching of heart, for prostration before the cross of Christ, for confession of sin as well as confession of faith, and for the taking of such a docile and teachable attitude before the Master of us all as will preserve the church from either Pharisaic heresy or Sadducean self-indulgence.—Zion's Herald, Boston, Mass.

### The Supreme Aim.

To be what God wills us to be, and because he wills it—this should be our supreme thought and aim, and the mainspring of our Christian life. The sanctified instinct which leads us to ask, not first of all for our daily bread, or the forgiveness of our trespasses, or the avoidance of temptation even, but which places in the forefront of our most passionate longings and pleadings "Thy name be hallowed, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven"—the supplication which puts the Divine will "in the beginning," will lead to the purest and loftiest experience possible to man on the earth.

### Success.

The surest test of a man's well-being and progress is just the opposite of what he has accumulated. It is what has been left behind? What can he do without? What has he outgrown?—Rev. N. M. Waters, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

### Tenfold.

He who gives his best treasure unto God will find that God will give it back again multiplied tenfold.—Rev. N. D. Hillis, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.



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Every harp should have a cover for its protection from dust and dampness, and these covers are made sometimes of canvas or waterproof stuff, but usually, for home use, of canton flannel, of felt or of corduroy. These covers are not simply loose bags to cover the harp, but in each case tailor made to fit the individual harp. Such harp covers cost from \$2.50 to \$10 each. Costlier harp covers are made of silk of any desired color to harmonize with a room or its fittings and cost perhaps \$35 or \$40.

New harps of American make, which are said to be the best in the world, cost from \$500 to \$2,000, while second-hand harps may be bought at \$125 and upward.

Most new harps are shipped by the makers in wooden cases which are made to fit. The most costly harps are now shipped in harp trunks, in each case made to order.

Harp owners who do not own a trunk may have one made to order so that the trunk shall fit the harp. Harps weigh fifty to seventy-five pounds each. A harp trunk weighs about 150 pounds and costs \$50. The harp is placed within this trunk in its cover, and the trunk is so padded within as to hold the harp securely. There are made many odd looking trunks for various special uses, but a harp trunk is about as curious looking a contraption as any of them.—New York Sun.

## SHRINES IN JAPAN.

Those Within the Guarded Gates of Asakuse Temple.

"Asakuse temple is dedicated to the goddess Kwannon, a tiny image of gold about two and a half inches high," writes a traveler in Japan. "At the entrance to the temple grounds on either side of the immense gate stand two large and fearful looking figures, guarding the sacred precincts. Hanging outside the wire grating are a number of sandals for their use if they wish to take a walk, and rice is sprinkled about. Each worshiper before entering the temple calls at a small building and, after contributing a small amount, washes his hands and rinses his mouth."

"In front of the main shrine is a large aperture in the floor covered with lattice work, into which the worshiper casts his gift. After clapping his hands to awaken or attract the attention of the god he kneels, but his prayer is only brief. While there is one chief shrine there are many others under the same roof."

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Ninth Day of July, 1912,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

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or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

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**TUESDAY, MARCH 26th, 1912,**

at the hour of 1:30 o'clock p. m., at the Court House door in Princess Anne, Maryland, I will sell at public auction for cash, all the lots or parcels of land hereinafter severally mentioned and described, to pay and satisfy the state and County Taxes levied against the said hereinafter described lots or parcels of land for the year 1910, or charged to and due from the several persons to whom the same are assessed which said taxes are now due and in arrears for said year, together with the interest and costs thereon and costs of sale.

No. 1—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 65 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from the land of John Jones, adjoining the land of Frank Bonneyville and Wm. Clogg land, whereon Mrs. W. B. McCready resides and assessed to said McCready for said year.

No. 2—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 10 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate near Green Hill, on a private road leading to the county road, adjoining the land owned or formerly owned by Avery Taylor and assessed to John Braxton's heirs for said year.

No. 3—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 52 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road from Pocomoke to Princess Anne and at the intersection of the said road with a woods road now owned by W. G. Hoerr and assessed to A. F. Lively for said year.

No. 4—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 10 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Old Dublin to Scott's store, adjoining the land of John Sandle, and assessed to Zadoc W. Ross for said year.

No. 5—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 12 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Dividing Creek and at said Creek Bridge and assessed to Dennis Mitchell for said year.

No. 6—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 13 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the new county road, adjoining the lands of T. G. Long and J. H. Smith and assessed to Maria Collins for said year.

No. 7—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 13 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the new county road, adjoining the lands of T. G. Long and J. H. Smith and assessed to Maria Collins for said year.

No. 8—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the new county road, near Tinley Chapel, adjoining the lands of James Parkins and Whittington Polk and assessed to Caleb Dashiell for said year.

No. 9—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 12 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, known as the Scott Mill Lot, adjoining the land of S. A. Riley and assessed to the Valley Realty Company for said year.

No. 10—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 9 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Moses Harris, Frank Harrington and Claude Bouds and assessed to Edward Bailey for said year.

No. 11—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 6 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Princess Anne to Van Buren's Corner, adjoining the lands of Joseph Whitney and Sofia Barbon and assessed to Frank Barbon for said year.

No. 12—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Levenia Harrington and Mary E. Hofer and assessed to Ida K. Davis for said year.

No. 13—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road leading from White Haven to Alcomico Creek, adjoining the lands of George Lloyd and Chas. Jones and assessed to John W. Jones for said year.

No. 14—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Furness store to White Haven and assessed to Samuel Jefferson for said year.

No. 15—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 3/4 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at the intersection of the road to Princess Anne and a private road, adjoining the land of Straughn Pritchett and assessed to Robert A. Pritchett for said year.

No. 16—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, adjoining the land of Robert A. Pritchett and assessed to Robert A. Pritchett for said year.

No. 17—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 18—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 19—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 20—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 21—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 22—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 23—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 24—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 25—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 10 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 26—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 27—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 28—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 15 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading through Mt. Vernon, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

No. 29—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 175 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, adjoining the lands of Daniel Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitehead for said year.

ing the property of Grace P. E. Church and W. Edgar Jones and assessed to Dr. Daniel W. Jones for said year.

No. 30—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Holland & Barbon's store to John Wesley M. E. Church, adjoining the land of George Payton and assessed to Lester O. Jones for said year.

No. 31—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Holland & Barbon's store to John Wesley M. E. Church, adjoining the land of George Payton and assessed to Lester O. Jones for said year.

No. 32—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Holland & Barbon's store to John Wesley M. E. Church, adjoining the land of George Payton and assessed to Lester O. Jones for said year.

No. 33—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 10 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, part of the Littleton Harris estate, adjoining the land of Orlando Furness and the land owned or formerly owned by Anderson and Lakford and assessed to Stephen Waters for said year.

No. 34—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, Somerset County, Maryland, containing 8 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Bengal road, adjoining the land of Joseph E. Cottonman and Hinch and assessed to Arnold Cottman for said year.

**ROBERT F. MADDOX,**  
Treasurer for Somerset County.

**ILES & MYERS, Solicitors.**

### Order of Publication

Sarah E. Morris and John T. Morris, her husband, vs. Louisa Bacon et al.

No. 2727 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Somerset County. In Equity.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain real estate, situate in Somerset County in this State, whereof a certain Nero Wilson died seized and possessed of a lot or parcel of land, improved by a dwelling house, wherein he resided at the time of his death, situate on "Bowland's Hill," near the Town of Princess Anne, in said Somerset County; that the said Nero Wilson left said real estate to his wife, Mary Wilson, but no children or descendants, and left as his sole heirs at law the following brothers and sisters:

Sarah E. Morris, Louisa Bacon, (deceased), Henry J. Wilson and Samuel A. Wilson and Albert Cottman, Barton Handly, Leah Wilson, Martha Burton, Ernest Sudler, Carrie Sudler, William Sudler, and Joseph Sudler; that the said Henry J. Wilson, together with his wife, whose name is unknown, Samuel A. Wilson, Albert Cottman, Martha Burton, together with her husband, Sherman Burton, are non-residents of this State, and that the said real estate is not susceptible of partition without material loss and injury to the parties entitled to interest therein, as above stated; and that it is necessary that the said land should be sold and the proceeds divided among said parties according to their interests therein.

It is therefore ordered by the Court, that on the 28th day of February, 1912, ordered by the Circuit Court for Somerset County, in Equity, that the plaintiffs, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper, published in said Somerset County, once each of four successive weeks, before the 2nd day of April, 1912, give notice to the said absent defendants of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor on or before the 20th day of April, 1912, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

**HENRY L. D. STANFORD, Judge.**  
True Copy. Test: **S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk.**

### Order of Sale

In the matter of the tax sale of real estate in East Princess Anne Election District of Somerset County, assessed to J. H. Crawford (Henry Crawford) and reported by Clay Tull, collector of State and County taxes for the First Collection District of Somerset County for the year 1908. Francis M. Wilson, purchaser, ex parte.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County. Whereas a certain H. Clay Tull, collector of State and County taxes for the First Collection District of Somerset County, in the State of Maryland, for the year 1908, reported to the Circuit Court for Somerset County, a sale made by him to Frances M. Wilson of all that lot or parcel of land lying and being in East Princess Anne Election District of Somerset County, in the State of Maryland, containing 11 acres of land, more or less, with the improvements thereon, bounded on the north by the county road leading from Princess Anne to Plumsett's Bridge, on the east and south by the lands of the heirs of W. E. Lankford, conveyed to Henry Crawford by Wm. T. Fleming and wife by deed dated the 1st day of March, 1884, recorded among the land records of Somerset County in Liber B. F. L. No. 6, folio 640, etc., and assessed to J. H. Crawford, for the year 1908, and sold for the payment of taxes due and in arrears, together with all the proceedings had in relation thereto; and whereas upon examination of the said land and Court that the said proceedings are regular, and that the provisions of the law in relation thereto have been complied with.

Now it is therefore ordered, by the Circuit Court for Somerset County, in Equity, that on the 28th day of February, in the year 1912, that notice be given by the publication of this order once a week for three successive weeks in the MARYLAND and HERALD, a weekly newspaper published in Somerset County, before the 20th day of March next, warning all persons interested in the said real estate to be and appear in this Court on or before the 30th day of March next, to show cause, if any they have, why said sale should not be ratified and confirmed.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$10.00.

**HENRY L. D. STANFORD, Judge.**  
True Copy. Test: **S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk.**

### Auditor's Notice.

H. Elinor Ransom, ex parte, trust created by deed of trust from Theodore F. Pusey and Mary H. Pusey, his wife.

No. 2710 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of real and personal estate of Theodore F. Pusey and Mary H. Pusey, his wife, and reported by H. Elinor Ransom, trustee, are hereby notified to file their claims duly authenticated with me on or before the 20th day of March, 1912, as I shall on that day at my office in Princess Anne proceed to distribute the assets of said sale among the persons thereto entitled according to law.

**E. D. McMASTER,**  
Auditor.

In the matter of Sarah D. Ballard, Lunatic.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of the property of Sarah D. Ballard, Lunatic, made and reported by Henry J. Waters, trustee, are hereby notified to file their claims duly authenticated according to law, with me on or before the first day of April, 1912, as I shall on that day at my office in Princess Anne proceed to distribute the assets of said sale among the persons thereto entitled according to law.

**E. D. McMASTER,**  
Auditor.

## BARGAINS IN HUSBANDS

By MARY BARRETT HOWARD

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The little kitchen was radiant of freshly baked cake, and stout Mrs. Pickens, hurrying through the remnant of the week's ironing, looked flushed and heated.

"Soap club or no Soap club, I got to get Miss Ransom's thin's done," she muttered. "She'll be after 'em today sure, for I suspicion she ain't got many changes. I declare," she added, pitifully, as she surveyed the fine, lace-trimmed garment on the ironing board, "it makes me feel bad to see how careful she's patched an' mended 'em. Ev'ry dud she's got is most fallin' to pieces, but I expect she ain't got the money to buy new ones. I ain't a mite surprised. I read one o' her stories once an' it was awful dull to my thinkin'." I wish to the land she was smart enough to write a reel good one like 'St. Elmo' or 'Lena Rivers'.

She looks half-starved. If I wasn't afraid she'd take it as an insult I'd ask her to stay to the meetin' of the Soap club. I'm goin' to have a good supper, if I do say it, an' I worked in one o' them cheap boardin' houses once an' I know what they be. An' to think that her folks used to be as rich as mud! I met the old judge jest a little while before his death steppin' out as if he owned the earth—well, this is a queer world! Goodness gracious!—there's Miss Ransom now, ridin' in an automobile! It's stopped an' she's comin' in!"

Hastily setting down her flatiron, she ran to the door and admitted a slim, pale girl dressed in shabby mourning, ejaculating as she did so:

"Well, if I ain't surprised to see you ridin' in an automobile, Miss Ransom! Come right in—your thin's is jest ready, an' while I'm doing of 'em up, I want you should look at the new premiums I got since you was here last."

Glad to postpone, even for a few moments, the irrevocable step to which she had just pledged herself, Elinor Ransom followed her hostess into a room where a table was laid with a brave array of plated silver and a set of china decorated with flaming red poppies.

"It's my day to entertain our Soap club," Mrs. Pickens explained. "Ten of us ladies clubs together an' buys our soap o' Lally, an' then we takes turns drawin' for the premiums. He gives elegant ones, jest elegant! I got all that silver an' that chiny set an' that picter frame for my share. Ain't that frame complete? Pickens thought I'd ought to put us power in instead of Tim's, but Pickens is home-ly enough to scare the cat an' Tim was a real good lookin' feller, don't you think so, Miss Ransom?"

The large colored photograph in the flamboyant gilt frame was the portrait of a pleasant-faced young workman, and in spite of the crude coloring, the "slicked-down" hair and the stiff attitude of one oppressed by his "Sunday clothes" Elinor was able to respond cordially: "Yes, indeed, I do, Mrs. Pickens."

"But I dunno's I ought to find fault with Pickens' looks when all is said an' done. I was awful lonesome after I lost my first," Mrs. Pickens said. "An' it wasn't long before I found out that there's a mighty sight o' difference between washin' for pleasure as one may say, jest to git yourself some extra thin's, an' in bendin' over a wash-tub day in an' day out tryin' to keep body an' soul together. So when I come across an advertisement, one day, tellin' about a place where you can buy a husband by payin' down ten dollars cash in a wance I made up my mind I'd try my luck."

"Why, Mrs. Pickens, the idea!" Elinor gasped. "The very idea!"

"It did seem like buyin' a pig in a poke," Mrs. Pickens admitted. "But I knew 'twas resk ten dollars or earn my own livin' so far as I was concerned, for Tim had been dead most a year an' theer hadn't hide nor hair of a man come shyin' round."

"I got Miss Jones that lives next door to go with me," she continued, "for I ain't one of your reckless kind an' I'd read in the newspapers how women is sometimes told off an' murdered. But land, I needn't 'a' been skeered, for the man that runs the place—a marriage broker, he called himself—was as pleasant-spoken a feller as ever I see. He said he was certain he could suit me, but the man he brought out from the back room was as godforsaken a lookin' specimen as I ever get eyes on."

"You needn't think I'm goin' to take up with such a poor excuse for a man as that," I says to him. 'My sakes,' I says, 'do you think I'm lookin' for somebody else to support besides myself?'"

"He's all I got on hand jest now, ma'am," the broker says, kind of urgent an' persuasivellike. 'But there's more to this one than appears on the surface—you can't always judge by a cat's looks how far she can jump.'"

"I can," I says pretty sharp. "I can tell ev'ry time, an' that there feller would never in kingdom come earn his own salt, let alone mine."

"At that I marched right out of the room an' down the stairs an' the broker follered us most a block sayin' he was reel sorry it happened so, but if I'd come again in a week he'd have a larger stock for me to select from."

"First I was so mad at his tryin' to work off a damaged piece of goods like that on me that I thought I wouldn't go next nor nigh him, but ten dollars paid in advance is a lot o' money to

throw away for nothin' and when Saturday came round I went back."

"I had my pick of more'n a dozen that time, but I didn't have no difficulty in makin' a choice for, if I do say it, I'm a pretty good judge o' men."

"Be careful, Miss Ransom, don't step on that coat! Hobo don't let nobody but me touch it. Tim was a track walker," she explained in response to Elinor's inquiring look, "an' he got killed pullin' Hobo out from under the wheels of an engine. You never see a dog take on the way that one did. He was jest wild till I gave him that old brown coat o' Tim's to lay on."

"Oh, the dear, faithful little fellow!" the girl cried. "Oh, Mrs. Pickens, when I see how loyal, how true to their best instincts a dumb brute can be it makes me ashamed of myself and my kind!"

Mrs. Pickens looked puzzled and a trifle puzzled. "Well, I dunno," she said slowly. "It seems as if it would show more sense if Hobo'd stay with some o' them fellers that treat him so well instead of comin' back here to be kicked round by Pickens when he gets drunk, jest for the sake of lyin' on that old coat."

"Why, Mrs. Pickens, you don't mean to tell me that Mr. Pickens gets—er—that he drinks?" exclaimed Elinor. "Then you can't be such a good judge of men after all."

"I don't know why not," Mrs. Pickens retorted. "Pickens is a money-maker an' that's what I was lookin' for. Them politicians says he's the man for their money, that he can deliver the goods. Pickens may git drunk once in a while, an' he may not be what you'd call honest, but for my part I call Pickens a good bargain."

"But your first husband must have been so different," Elinor faltered, glancing at the portrait above her head. "He looks so kind and—and honest."

"He was," Mrs. Pickens confessed, a wistful shadow creeping over her complacent red face. "Pickens makes a sight most money, for Tim wa'n't practical—you'd know that by his losin' his own life tryin' to save a dog's."

There was a determined tilt to Elinor Ransom's softly rounded chin as she went down the steps of the tenement house a moment later. A man twice her age with tell-tale lines about his mouth and pouches under his watery gray eyes, hurriedly advanced to meet her, tossing away, as he did so an oily, black cigar.

"Here you are at last," he said. "What the devil are you carryin' that bundle for? I told you to pay the woman what you owed her and say good-bye to her since you insisted upon it, but your things aren't worth botherin' with. You've been down on your luck so long that your clothes are about all in. But we'll fix all that, little girl," he added graciously, his brown relaxing into a jovial manner that was even more unpleasant than his anger. "There'll be plenty of time, after we have been to the minister, to drive to one of the department stores an' fit you out to be a credit to me before our train leaves."

"I'm not going with you, Mr. Archer—I can't marry you," the girl said. "I suppose you want a little more coaxin'," he said sullenly. "But, my girl, you've kept me dancin' after you've been down enough," he exploded, laying a heavy hand on her arm. "Come with me now, Elinor, and for the rest of your life you will get the fine clothes, and the jewels and the petting that every pretty woman wants, but I'll never give you another chance to make a fool of me—once for all, is it yes or no?"

"It is no!—no!—no!" Elinor cried, pulling away from the touch of his hands.

He turned away and left her with a muttered curse, but Elinor Ransom, trundling along the hot pavement inhaling the dust and odor left in the trail of the big car, felt curiously light-hearted. Turning the corner she almost ran into a shabby, broad-shouldered young man, whose whole face lighted at the sight of the slim girl with the big bundle.

"Let me carry that for you, Miss Ransom," he said, falling into step at her side. "All my luck is coming to me at once—I thought I wouldn't be able to see you before this evening, and I could hardly wait to tell you that I'd got a start at last. I—You must have seen that I loved you, dear," the young fellow went on, his voice shaking with the force of long pent-up passion; "but I thought it was only fair to stand aside and let Archer, who could offer you a life of ease and luxury, win you if he could."

Elinor looked up quickly and saw in the dark eyes that met hers the same expression she had seen in the crude portrait of poor Tim Ryan—"the look of a man unbought."

"But at last I've got my chance," John Talbot said jubilantly. "I can't offer you much except my love and a very modest little flat, but I'm going to make good, I'm sure of it now—Tell me, Elinor—dearest—do you like me well enough to risk marryin' me tomorrow?"

"I don't consider it a risk, John, dear," the girl said demurely, a delicious dimple lurking in the corner of her lovely mouth. "But O, John! John!" she wailed suddenly, clasping his arm in the shock of realization of her narrow escape from lifelong misery. "Just suppose I hadn't stopped at Mrs. Pickens and learned from her what a bargain in husbands really is!"

### Like Some Kinds.

"The young ride across the way treats her h' and like a dog."

"And she bride? How I pity him!"

"You 's always feeding and ca"



## SOMERSET COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

### Mt. Vernon.

MT. VERNON, MD., March 15th, 1912.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins visited their son in Salisbury last week.  
Mrs. William Robinson, of Willow Grove, Penna., is visiting friends at this place.

Mr. A. C. Moore, who has been visiting his relatives in Cambridge, has returned home.  
Miss Cecelia Waller, who has been visiting her mother for some time, left last week for Baltimore.

Mrs. Delia Foxwell, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Street, of Philadelphia, has returned home.

Mr. Joseph Furniss, of Old Point Comfort, Va., visited his brother, Mr. Orlando Furniss, of this place, last week.

Mr. William Sims and family, who have spent the past winter in Salisbury, have returned to Mt. Vernon for the summer.

Mrs. Dale Dashiell and daughter, Frances, spent a few days last week with the former's aunt, Mrs. George Rogers, of Baltimore.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. W. Simpkins on Friday evening. A large attendance was present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. William D. Jones, of Upper Mt. Vernon, died at his home on Thursday last, aged about 79 years. Funeral services were held at John Wesley Church, conducted by Rev. C. M. Mitchell and the interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Simpkins gave a party on Saturday evening in honor of the 15th birthday of their daughter, Matilda. Refreshments served at 9.30. Among those present were: Misses Ella Collins, Florence Maddox, Susie Bailey, Olive Hopkins, Minnie Jones, Laura Wilson, Lena Pruitt, Matilda and Laura Dashiell, Irma Webster, Mamie Hopkins, Myrtle Horner, Lucille Moore, Pauline Dashiell, Beulah Gladden, Ethel Simpkins and Messrs. Joe Jones, Guy Bailey, John Mason, Howard Price, Wade Bloodworth, Albert and Millard Bounds, Earle Pruitt, Bernard Thomas, Eddie Simms, Bryan Smith, Elbert Cole, Talmage Dashiell, Earle Hopkins, Wesley Wilson, Vaughn Moore, Vaughn Marshall, Raymond Jones, Ray Webster, Barton Webster, Walter Hoffman, Devin Collins, Warren Gladden, J. Douglass and Fred Simpkins. EARLY BIRD.

### Perryhawkin.

PERRYHAWKIN, MD., March 16th, 1912.  
Mr. J. W. West, after spending a few days in Philadelphia, has returned home.

Mrs. S. T. Dryden, of Fruitland, is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Mr. James Bailey, of Mt. Vernon, arrived today (Saturday) to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Dykes.

Messrs. George P. Miller, Ponder C. Culver, M. A. Culver, B. T. Dykes and William Riggan have had built about two miles of telephone line to connect with the Farmers' Telephone Line at P. D. West's store and the Farmers' Line Company put phones in their houses this week.

The Literary Society met in the public school house at Perryhawkin last Wednesday evening. The Society was called to order by Mr. B. T. Dykes; Mr. Charley Miller, was made chairman. The exercises were as follows: Song by the Society, "Marching Through Georgia." The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Alton Dryden; Singing by Misses Nellie Marriner, Annabel Carrow and Messrs. Norman Dryden and Clayton Marriner. The question: "Resolved, That Robert E. Lee was a greater General than U. S. Grant," was debated by Messrs. B. C. Dryden, Fred Gorly and J. T. Marriner, on the affirmative and Messrs. F. W. Marriner, Alton Dryden and B. T. Dykes, on the negative. The judges—Messrs. Harry Miller, Charles Dryden and John S. Dennis—decided in favor of the negative.

### Fire At Crisfield.

Fire at noon last Thursday partly destroyed the residence on Central Main street, Crisfield, occupied by Mrs. Payne and owned by Mr. Joseph Poley. The building next to it, owned by Mr. P. M. Tilghman, was damaged. A part of the lower floor of the Tilghman building was occupied as broker-offices by T. Howard Tawes and Paul Callen, whose furniture was damaged by water.

The photograph gallery of P. M. Tilghman, in the upper part of the building, was wrecked, the roof having burned through in several places. The residence where the fire started was left roofless.

The promptness of the local fire company prevented a serious fire. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been surprised and delighted with the relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Not one case of rheumatism has been cured by this Liniment. See only a few testimonials.

### Jason.

JASON, MD., March 14th, 1912.  
Miss Leila Taylor, who has been visiting Mrs. L. W. Pusey for the past week, has returned home.

Miss Manie Waller, of Princess Anne, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. L. W. Pusey, of this place.

Mrs. John Parks, Mrs. Will Benson and Mrs. Paul Pilchard, of Pocomoke City, were the guests of Mrs. Carroll Parks Sunday.

A surprise party was given to Miss Lotta Holland in honor of her birthday on Friday evening last, those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pusey, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. Weekes, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pusey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Costen, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Parks; Misses Ola Ross, Daisy Holland, Mattie Dashiell, Myrtle Horner, Irma Webster, Louise Clayville, Agnes Taylor, Vesta Costin, Mattie Pusey, Mildred Wilson and Elsie Dryden, Mamie Waller and Leila Taylor, of Princess Anne; Messrs. Germon Pusey, Jay White, Harry Bounds, Willie Hollaud, Sam Lloyd, Roland Dashiell, Grover Ross, Arthur Dryden, Claude Costen, Ralph Dryden, Merle Wilson, Fillmore Dryden. Refreshments were served at 10 o'clock.

### Deal's Island.

DEAL'S ISLAND, MD., March 16th, 1912.  
Mr. T. A. Wallace visited Baltimore this week.

Dr. Alexander and son, James, are visiting Baltimore.

Mrs. Lottie Webster and son, Oscar, are visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. William Horner is attending the M. E. Conference at Wilmington, Del. Our minister, the Rev. J. W. Jones is attending conference at Wilmington, Del.

Mr. Harold Bradshaw was home on a visit to his parents a few days this week.

Miss Nellie Wallace was taken to Baltimore for treatment for blood poisoning on Monday last.

Miss Norma Collier was taken to Baltimore on Wednesday last to have an operation performed for appendicitis.

Mrs. Charles Thomas was taken to the Hospital in Baltimore to have an operation performed for appendicitis, on Friday of last week. R. AND A.

### Millions For Rivers.

The Secretary of the Treasury has sent to the Senate a detailed statement showing the sums expended on the river and harbor improvement. In Maryland the following sums have been expended:

Baltimore harbor, \$3,937,900.00; Annapolis harbor, \$8,475.42; Battery Island piers, Chesapeake Bay, \$17,275.00; Breton Bay and Patuxent harbors, \$15,382.70; Cambridge harbor, \$50,237.00; Cambridge and Pocomoke harbors, \$2,500.00; Chesapeake Bay, survey headwaters, \$485.56; Chester River, \$52,241.46; Choptank River, \$60,000.00; Corsica Creek, \$30,000.00; Crisfield harbor, \$85,079.50; Deal's Island Passage, \$10,680.09; Elk River, \$84,068.00; Fairlee Creek, \$10,000.00; La Trappe River, \$7,250.00; Leonardtown harbor, Breton Bay, \$7,500.00; Manokin River, \$24,500.00; Northeast River, \$20,640.00; Patapsco River, \$4,453,347.98; Patuxent River, \$10,617.30; Pocomoke River, \$26,200.00; Queenstown harbor \$19,000.00; Rock Hall harbor, \$16,597.12; Rock Hall, Queenstown-Claiborne, Cambridge, Chester, Choptank, Warwick, Pocomoke, Wicomico Rivers and Tyaskin Creek, \$253,891.85; St. Jerome's Creek, \$26,500.00; Secretary Creek, \$6,000.00; Susquehanna River, \$214,500.00; Treadhaven Creek, \$6,000.00; Warwick River, \$12,000.00; Wicomico River, \$73,018.00; Worten harbor, \$12,000.00.

On the Chesapeake and Delaware canal the government has expended \$450,000 in addition to \$2,563.91 for the expenses of a board to determine the route of the canal, \$9,745.91 for a commission on the waterway and \$10,000 for survey.

### To Reclaim The Swamps.

One of the most important bills for constructive legislation which has been proposed this session came to the Senate Wednesday from the Finance Committee. It was Senator Milbourne's bill providing the method and machinery for a general drainage system for reclaiming the swamp lands of the State. The funds are to come from the beneficiaries of the work, but provision is made for advancing the sum of \$10,000 to start the machinery into operation. There is in Somerset county a large area of swamp lands, the whole area in the State being as large as that of an average county. In its present condition the land is worse than useless, as it breeds malaria and mosquitoes. Any practical plan for reclaiming it and making it productive would vastly increase the wealth of the State as well as promote the public health and comfort.

The bill has been favorably reported and engrossed for a third reading.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of coughs, colds and croup. It can be depended upon. Try it. Sold by all dealers.

## 6 BERI BERI VICTIMS AT QUARANTINE

### Two Deaths From Dread Disease on Bark.

The Brilliant, a four-masted British bark, has arrived at Philadelphia with her crew in a state of terror as the result of two deaths and six serious cases of beri-beri.

One corpse with the six men who were suffering from the dread disease was taken from the bark at the quarantine station at Marcus Hook, near Chester.

The situation the crew faced is one after another took sick and turned almost as black as the pitch in the seams of the hold was not a pleasant one. There they were, on a bark which was still weeks from her destination, with the prospects of being stricken at any moment.

Captain W. A. Grant said that he had never had a more menacing period with terrorized sailors in his life than he did at times during the voyage, and many of the sailors were of Indian extraction, having been taken aboard at Bombay, India, where the bark was loaded with iron ore for Philadelphia. She was at sea 181 days.

The Brilliant sailed from Bombay with her heavy cargo on Nov. 7, 1911. It was not until the sixth or seventh of December that the first sickness appeared, and the sailor, a mixed Indian, died on Dec. 12.

The next case appeared early in January, when two more sailors were stricken, and before the middle of February five other members of the crew, all mixed Indians, became ill. The remainder of the voyage was made with these six men in a serious condition and the other sailors struggling to keep out of the throes of the disease.

On Saturday, when the bark was making the Delaware Breakwater, with medical assistance in sight, the second sailor died. His body was kept on board the bark and brought to Marcus Hook.

### BOY SHOTS HIS SISTER

Pottstown Lad Did Not Know Rifle Was Loaded.

Pretty fourteen-year-old Vera Fasnacht, daughter of Councilman Harry Fasnacht, of Pottstown, Pa., is in the Pottstown hospital with a heavy rifle bullet in her right thigh, and her condition is regarded as serious.

The girl and her younger brother were acting a wild west scene from a moving picture. "Hands up," cried the boy, as he pointed the big rifle at her. She laughingly refused to do so, and the lad, not knowing the rifle was loaded, pulled the trigger and the bullet entered the girl's thigh.

The girl was taken to the hospital as quickly as possible, but she lost considerable blood. The boy is suffering from shock.

### Dr. Wiley Was Forced Out.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley has resigned his position as the chief chemist and pure food specialist of the department of agriculture after twenty-nine years of service for the government, because he feels that his hands are tied in the fight for the enforcement of the pure food law.

In a statement to the public Dr. Wiley announces that the fundamental principles of that law have one by one "been paralyzed and discredited." Dr. Wiley; it is understood, will be at the head of the "health department" of Good Housekeeping, a magazine.

Despite the fact that rumors had been current for several weeks that the government's pure food expert was about to leave the service, the actual news of his resignation came as a big surprise to official Washington.

### Kansas Delegates For Clark.

The state democratic convention, in session at Hutchinson, Kan., on Thursday, unanimously instructed the twenty delegates from Kansas to the democratic national convention for Champ Clark, with Governor Woodrow Wilson as second choice.

Clark adherents passed resolutions instructing the entire Kansas delegation to vote for Clark, so long as three-fifths of the delegation believed his nomination possible, and to vote as a unit on other questions as the three-fifths majority might direct.

The resolutions demand a reduction of the tariff, an increase of the free list, a fellow servant law that will effectively safeguard the interests of workmen employed by individuals or corporations, and protect their families; an income tax; liberal appropriations to construct and maintain better post roads; a reduction of the standing army, and election of United States senators, federal judges and the interstate commerce commissioners by the direct vote of the people.

### Taft Campaigners Drop Personalities.

After a conference in the White House, participated in by President Taft, Senator Crane of Massachusetts, Director McKinley of the Taft campaign bureau, and Secretary to the President Hill, it became known that hereafter the literary end of the Taft bureau would not indulge in personalities nor in attacks on Colonel Roosevelt or the men who are supporting him.

President Taft insisted, it was said, that this method of attack be abandoned. While no definite plan of campaign was made public, it was said the Taft leaders would devote all their attention largely to such issues as the third term, the recall of judicial decisions, and other questions of national interest.

### In Memoriam.

In loving but sad remembrance of my dear boy, Stanley O. Dryden, who died one year ago today, March 16th, 1911. Loved in life, in death remembered.

God called him home, it was His will, But in our heart we love him still; His memory is as dear today, As in the hour he passed away.

I often sit and think of him, When I am all alone; For memory is the only friend, That grief can call its own.

HIS MAMMA.

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Butter.....	per lb	30c
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Potatoes—white.....	per bus.	\$1.25
—sweet.....	"	1.50
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Even though you have no immediate intention of buying Spring Clothes we invite you to be among "those present" at the formal opening.

Come and see for yourself the infinite variety of new weaves, new shades, new colorings, that George will display a whole season in advance of many others in the Tailoring Business.

You will find this showing the largest exhibit of New Spring cloth delights and winsom fabric-winners you ever saw. You'll find here the picked plums—the wheat and the meat of all the new conceptions that this Spring will see.

No matter what your ideal for a Spring Suit fabric, you'll find it on tap here, waiting for you to call it yours.

There are Blues without number—Electric Blues, Azure Blues, Wine Tinted Blues, Purple Blues, Deep Sea Blues and Tans—and Grays, and Browns, and Scotchies, and Stripes, Plaids, and Staples in every imaginable shade that is right for Spring. Come in and browse through them.

We guarantee—without qualification—that your Suit will be made to your own measurements—that it will fit you perfectly—that it will give you full measure of satisfaction—that it will be right when it comes and that it comes when you want it. If you are not satisfied in all these particulars you are under no obligation to accept the suit. May we have your order? Prices.. \$15 to \$40  
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## LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS

### What the People's Representatives Did Last Week.

Mr. Webster's bill incorporating the Eastern Shore Power, Light and Railway Company, was read a third time and passed.

Senator Benson's to issue additional bonds to expedite the construction of systems of State roads, with an amendment, stipulating that none of the money raised by the issuing of these bonds is to be spent in Baltimore city, was reported favorably.

Mr. Jones introduced a bill to drain lands in Somerset county.

A bill was introduced by Senator Mathias appropriating \$25,000 additional for the Bureau of Immigration, the residue of which, after deducting salaries and expenses, is to be used in encouraging immigration.

Secretary of the Senate John R. Sullivan presented to each member of the State Senate Monday evening a fine picture of the Maryland flag, handsomely framed. The gift, wholly unexpected, was highly appreciated and acknowledged in a complimentary resolution of thanks.

Senator Milbourne introduced a bill requiring the Board of Public Works to provide a suitable boat to assist in guarding the tonging bottoms in Manokin river.

Two more presidential primary bills came into the Senate Monday, one from Senator Lee, which provided for the unit system and a second choice, and one from Senator Hammond, which, like Senator Harper's, is state-wide. This provides for the election of delegates by direct vote, and does away with a convention.

When the Finance Committee reported favorably Tuesday the Goslin automobile bill which provided for increased licenses, the author of the measure introduced after the words "a bill," and substituting an entirely new measure. This adds new sections to the present law which affect the revenue of the state in that they are expected to increase these about \$20,000 the first year and \$40,000 the year afterward.

Senator Bosley introduced an election bill Tuesday, in which Senator Harper concurs, designed to take Queen Anne's and Dorchester out of the list of Wilson bill counties. At the beginning of the session before Governor Crothers went out, a bill was enacted repealing the Wilson law and prescribing for those counties known as the Wilson law counties the same form of ballot that is used in the rest of the State, except that there shall be no party designation after the names of the candidates, forbidding sample ballots, the publication of facsimile ballots or the use of any device for guiding illiterate voters.

Senator Bosley's bill removes Queen Anne's and Dorchester from the operation of this law and puts them with Baltimore city and certain other counties of the State under the general election law of the State.

At 1 o'clock Wednesday morning on a motion to lay on the table the motion to substitute the minority for the majority report on the Local Option bill the vote was 52 for and 43 against substitution. This means that the bill won on the first test vote. The bill is aimed primarily at Baltimore city. A number of the counties of the State are already dry in whole or in part by effective legislation, and the avowed object in making this bill Statewide is to include Baltimore and its environs.

Wednesday the Senate by a vote of 13 to 12 passed to its third reading and final passage a measure increasing salaries of associate judges in the State from \$3,600, the present rate of pay, to \$4,200. The new figure was a compromise arranged by Senator Benson, who has been fighting for a salary of \$4,500 for the associate judges. There was considerable debate over the constitutionality of the measure, Senator Harper taking a decided stand against it, but in the end the idea of liberality to the judges prevailed.

On Wednesday President Price, of the Senate, introduced a bill permitting Election Supervisors to use voting machines in one or more precincts. The bill is designed to afford an opportunity to test the use of these machines. There has been complaint for years about the long delay in getting election returns in this State and the large expense of counting. The voting machine shows at the closing of the polls the exact vote that each candidate has received and so the result in any precinct is known instantly. The main obstacle which has been urged against the machines is their high cost. But it is said that considerable expense is also avoided by their use—the printing of ballots and in a smaller number of election officers.

On Wednesday the President laid before the Senate Senator Milbourne's bill prohibiting the catching of any sea food with trap nets, with amendments from the committee, which were adopted. Amendment by Senator Frere was also adopted and the bill was ordered engrossed for their reading.

The following bills were passed last Thursday: Mr. Cochrane's enlarging he powers on the Marine Bank of Crisfield, also his bill to amend the Somerset road law. By Mr. Crockett, authorizing the Mayor and Council of Pocomoke City to issue bonds for paving, draining and curbing the streets and highways of said town, in Worcester county.

Governor Goldsborough last Thursday signed the following bill: Prohibiting the sale of certain drugs and patent medicines on Deal's Island.

Senator Harper's bill to amend the Constitution so that measures introduced in the Legislature shall be printed instead of being engrossed came up as a special order in the Senate and was advanced to its third reading. By many who have had experience in legislative matters the present system of engrossing bills by the pen and ink process is considered behind the times and to retard the progress of measures. It is argued also that the printing of bills will do away with the necessity for a large clerical force in the Senate and House engrossing rooms and thus be a move for economy.

Senator Harper's bill amending the Corrupt Practices act and further limiting the expenditures of candidates for public office was reported by the Elections Committee without recommendation last Friday and will be taken up as a special order today (Tuesday) at 1 o'clock.

The Senate passed Friday evening the bill increasing the salaries of the judges by a vote of 15 to 11. This raises the salaries of the Supreme Bench to \$5,800, and the associates in the county to \$4,200.

The bill fixing the working day for women in this State at 10 hours passed the Senate Friday afternoon by unanimous vote, after discussion which extended throughout the afternoon.

By one of those lightning changes that sometimes occur in legislative assemblies the Local Option Bill was so amended in the House Friday that Baltimore city and the several wet counties will be given an opportunity, if the bill becomes a law, to vote as units and not by wards in Baltimore, and by election districts in the wet counties.

On Saturday the Campbell-Price oyster bill passed the Senate by a vote of 16 to 7. There was no debate. The Senators opposed to the measure simply satisfied themselves with voting against it.

The local option bill passed the House of Delegates last Saturday by a vote of 62 to 37. The bill now goes to the Senate, where it is expected to pass.

### A Bill to Regulate The Catching of Crabs

Senator Coady introduced a bill Monday of last week prepared by Engineer Swenson Earle of the Shellfish Commission, to regulate the catching of crabs and to make the industry a source of revenue to the State.

It provides that any resident of the State desiring to catch crabs for market must secure a license from the clerk of the Circuit Court in the county where he resides. The license fee for each person working on a boat and catching soft or shedder crabs with scrapes or net other than a dip net with handle is to be \$1.50. No steam or motor boat may be used in taking soft crabs. Each trot line fisher, for hard crabs for market, using either sail, row or motorboat, shall pay \$1 for license. Each picking, crating or canning house is to pay \$10. For each boat used in buying crabs or for each person or firm marketing hard crabs by crate or barrel the fee is \$5. No person who is licensed to catch crabs, however, is required to procure a license for marketing his own catch. Each person securing a license must pay 25 cents clerk fee.

No hard crab, in the shedder or peeler stage, shall be marketed if it is less than 3½ inches between tips of spike, nor can female crabs bearing eggs be taken at any time. Hard crabs are not to be taken between November 1 and May 1.

A State crab commissioner is to be appointed by the Board of Public Works, with a salary of \$1,500 and \$500 for traveling expenses.

The Commissioner may appoint two deputies at not more than \$600 a year. Penalties are provided for violations of the law.

## M. E. CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

### Surprises Came When they Were Announced—Many Changes in Salisbury District

The Wilmington Conference of the M. E. Church adjourned on Monday night of last week after a large amount of routine work.

Rev. Dr. H. T. Quigg, of Milford, Del., presented to Bishop Wilson, on behalf of Mrs. William M. Field, of Wilmington, a small gavel made in South America by a Methodist Episcopal missionary. It was presented originally to the late Bishop John P. Newman and was used by him at the General Conference in 1892. Mrs. Newman, widow of the Bishop, presented the gavel to Mrs. Field. Bishop Wilson expressed his appreciation.

Rev. H. G. Budd, of Dover, Del., treasurer of the conference, presented his annual report. The total collections during the past year were \$59,296, divided as follows: Wilmington district, \$19,678; Dover district, \$14,077; Easton district, \$11,573; Salisbury district, \$13,868.

Bishop Wilson read the appointments. Those for Salisbury District are as follows:

District superintendent, George P. Jones, Salisbury, Md.  
Annemessex Postoffice, Crisfield, Md.—W. F. Atkinson.

Asbury Postoffice, Crisfield, Md.—E. H. Dashiell.

Berlin, Md.—T. R. Vandyke.

Bethel, Del.—J. W. Gray.

Bishopville, Md.—W. C. Harris.

Cape Charles, Va.—Howard Davis.

Chincoteague, Va.—O. T. Baynard.

Claremont, Va.—W. B. Horner, supply.

Crisfield, Md.—W. E. Habbart.

Deals Island, Md.—J. W. Jones.

Delmar, Del.—S. N. Pichard.

Epworth and Union, Postoffice Lower Fairmount, Md.—To be supplied.

Fairmount, Md.—F. N. Faulkner.

Frankford, Del.—G. W. Hastings.

Frankland, Md.—C. T. Jones.

Girdletree, Md.—J. H. Wilson.

Gumboro, Del.—O. E. James.

Hebron, Md.—E. H. Marshall.

Holland Island, Md.—Z. W. Wells, supply.

Laurel, Del.—G. C. Williams.

Mardela Springs, Md.—J. W. Hardy, supply.

Marion, Md.—Tilghman Smith.

Millsboro, Del.—G. R. Ellis.

Millville, Del.—H. C. Turner.

Mount Pleasant, P. O. Laurel, Del.—J. M. Mitchell.

Mount Vernon, Md.—J. J. Bunting.

Nanticoke, Md.—W. C. Poole.

Newark, Md.—W. H. Revelle.

Ocean View, Del.—C. H. Williams.

Onancock, Va.—J. W. Fogle.

Parsonsburg, Md.—E. H. Collins.

Phoenix, Va.—L. T. McLain, supply.

Pittsville, Md.—G. E. Sterling.

Pocomoke City, Md.—W. L. S. Murray.

Pocomoke Circuit, Md.—Horace E. Truitt, supply.

Powellville, Md.—W. B. Guthrie.

Princess Anne, Md.—J. H. Gray.

Quantico, Md.—J. M. S. Vanblunk.

Roxana, Del.—J. W. Stallings.

St. Peter's, P. O. Oriole, Md.—A. W. Goodhand.

Salisbury, Md., Asbury Church—T. E. Martindale.

Salisbury, Md., Grace Church—H. S. Dulaney.

Selbyville, Del.—V. E. Hills.

Salisbury Circuit—Alonzo Travers, supply.

Sharptown, Md.—R. H. Adams.

Smiths Island, Md., P. O. Ewell, Md.—Daniel Wilson.

Snow Hill, Md.—J. W. Easley.

Somerset, P. O. Chance, Md.—J. R. Cannon.

Stockton, Md.—Milton McCann.

Tangier Island, Va.—G. A. Cooke.

Westover, Md.—George F. Newton.

Whitesville, Del.—J. A. Brewington.

## Senators Stand Pat So Does Governor

The Democratic Senators met in conference at Annapolis Wednesday night and for more than two hours considered Governor Goldsborough's interview in The Sun, in which he declared against the passage of any road bill stripping him of his power to appoint the roads commissioners. While several of the Senators, headed by Senator Goslin, who has introduced a road loan bill which has the support of the Governor, urged that the Legislature merely make the appropriation and allow the Governor to name the commissioners. This majority is in favor of the bill which was adopted in conference on Monday night and which names as commissioners Dr. Ira Remsen and Messrs. O. E. Weller, Francis M. Hutton and Thomas Perry.

It was contended that if such a plan is adopted the Governor will veto the measure, which will practically make a cessation of road work for the next two years, and it was argued that the Democratic party would be held responsible for it. This argument, however, did not impress those who are opposed to such a scheme.

The Democrats are determined that their party shall have representation on the commission and it was suggested at the conference that in the bill the Legislature should name two Democratic members of the commission and empower the Governor to name two Republican members and designate from these four the chairman. This would give the State a bi-partisan roads commission.

The Governor now proposes to stand pat on the proposition, and it is stated that if the Senatorial conference bill is put up to him he will veto it and in his veto message give his reasons for his action and let the Democrats meet the issue thus raised.

## Bribery Charged in Liquor Battle

By a vote of 61 to 47 the House of Delegates Wednesday afternoon advanced the Local Option bill to its third reading, substituting the measure for the unfavorable report of the Temperance Committee. Almost immediately afterward a charge was made that a bribe of \$2,500 had been offered a delegate for a vote against the bill.

When the vote to substitute had been taken, Delegate Smallwood, of Prince George's county, startled the house with the announcement that he had been offered \$2,500 by a man named John F. O'Malley if he would change his position and vote against the bill. State Auditor O'Malley, when interviewed denied that he made such an offer. Delegate Smallwood gave the details of the offer and said he had determined upon his course after consulting with Governor Goldsborough. Democratic Floor Leader Marbury immediately offered a motion, which was adopted, for a committee to act as a grand inquest of the State to investigate the charge.

The verdict of the investigating committee is that John F. O'Malley's guilt or innocence on the charge of attempting to bribe Delegate W. R. Smallwood, must be established by the grand jury of Anne Arundel county. The committee says that the testimony is conflicting, but is sufficiently substantiated to justify the sending of the case to the grand jury of the county. Judge Brashears will summon the grand jury, which is not now in session. All testimony and other documents in the case will be transmitted to the State's Attorney by the chief clerk of the House.

## What They Think of Us

The Princess Anne MARYLANDER AND HERALD came to us last week in quarto form, with the important reading matter on the front page. The use of well-set headlines added much to the attraction of the paper. We congratulate editor Dashiell on the improvements made, and wish him prosperity.—Wicomico News.

The MARYLANDER AND HERALD, published at Princess Anne, Md., makes its appearance in an entirely new form, having been enlarged to an eight-page edition. In print, make-up and size, the paper is greatly improved, and is to be congratulated on the change.—Pocomoke City Ledger-Enterprise.

The Princess Anne MARYLANDER AND HERALD comes to us this week in quarto form, very much improved in every way and as newsy as ever. Congratulations, Brother Dashiell.—Snow Hill Messenger.

You certainly have made a big improvement in the appearance of the MARYLANDER AND HERALD, and I want to add my congratulations.—H. E. COLLINS, Crisfield, Md.

## Henry J. Hayman Dies of Apoplexy

Mr. Henry J. Hayman, a well-known citizen of Princess Anne District, died last Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George W. Brumley, at Gainsville, Florida, of apoplexy, aged 80 years. According to the account given in the Gainsville Daily Sun:

"Mr. Hayman was stricken with apoplexy while seated in Mrs. Brumley's auto at the Seaboard Air Line depot Monday evening, and was conveyed as quickly as possible to her home. His condition was reported as quite serious late Tuesday afternoon, although he appeared to be resting more comfortably than during the several hours preceding."

He failed to rally, however, and a telegram received in Princess Anne on Thursday announced his death.

Mr. Hayman was well known in this vicinity. For many years he resided on his farm about three miles from Princess Anne, until failing health compelled him to retire from active work. Since then he had spent much of his time in Florida. He was in Princess Anne last fall and was looking remarkably well.

He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Alonzo Whayland, of Wicomico county; Mrs. Josiah W. Pollitt, of Somerset county; Mrs. E. M. Clarke and Mrs. Geo. W. Brumley, of Gainsville, Florida; Mr. Thomas E. Hayman, of New York and Messrs. Henry J. and Sidney Hayman, of Philadelphia.

The remains of Mr. Hayman were brought to Salisbury last Friday night and from there were taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Pollitt, near Eden, and the funeral took place from Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, near Fruitland, last Sunday afternoon.

## Theodore Ennis Found Guilty

With a verdict of guilty of manslaughter and asking the mercy of the court, the jury in the trial of Theodore Ennis, charged with the murder of his brother, Eddie Ennis, filed into the courtroom at Salisbury at 10:15 Monday night of last week. The jury deliberated over an hour before returning a verdict.

The trial opened Tuesday morning. The killing occurred last September in a cornfield near Walston's Switch, about three miles from Salisbury. It was during the division of some corn that the trouble started between the brothers, which ended when Theodore Ennis struck his brother Eddie on the head with a hoe, the latter dying shortly afterward. The only eyewitnesses to the fight and killing were the mother and father of the two men, and in their testimony they made very reluctant witnesses. The defense tried to show that Theodore Ennis killed his brother in self-defense. The courtroom was packed throughout the entire day.

He was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

## Rev. W. E. Gunby Goes to Easton

Rev. W. E. Gunby, who for the past five years has been pastor of Antioch M. E. Church, of this town, has been assigned to the charge at Easton, Md. During his pastorate in Princess Anne Mr. Gunby has shown great capability. In pulpit ability, courageous and frank expression of views of upright living and exemplary conduct along the same lines that he preached, he has established an unblemished reputation in this community. Both he and his family have the best wishes of every one for prosperity and happiness in their new field of work. His successor is Rev. J. H. Gray, who by a singular coincidence, comes from Odessa, Del., where Mr. Gunby was also stationed prior to coming to Princess Anne.

## Sinepuxent Inlet Project

Last Wednesday Mr. Taylor, of Worcester county, introduced a bill in the House to extend until 1918, the life of the act incorporating the Sinepuxent, Saltwater Inlet Company. This company was chartered about eight years ago to dig an inlet across Sinepuxent Beach, about a mile below Ocean City, to admit the salt water of the Atlantic Ocean into the Sinepuxent Bay, the purpose being to make the upper waters of the bay available for oyster planting. The State spent \$2,500 to aid in the project, which has thus far been a failure because of the closing in of the sand, thus wiping out the canal. It is proposed to renew the project. The sum of \$3,876 has been subscribed by residents of Worcester county, to renew the effort to dig a canal that will stay dug.

—Mr. C. L. Dickerson, the well-known game and fish dealer of Salisbury, sold 8,000 muskrat men's from the 22nd of December last (arch 15th.

## FATAL MINE EXPLOSION

### 40 Killed And 37 Others Are Entombed

Forty miners are known to have been killed as the result of an explosion in Mine No. 2 of the Sans Bois Coal Company, at McCurtain, Okla., 37 miles west of Fort Smith, Arkansas last Wednesday and hope that 37 others entombed in the mine are alive has been practically abandoned. Thirteen of the miners escaped shortly after the explosion occurred. Several of these, however, are so badly injured that it is believed they will die.

The explosion occurred shortly after 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. According to an official statement from the offices of the Fort Smith and Western Railway Company, owners of the property, about 100 men were working in the mine at the time. Whether gas or coal dust caused the explosion has not been determined. Eight of the men who escaped alive were at work in the mule stables, and made their way to the surface through the passage way for the cars. The first party of volunteers to enter the mine found five men badly injured in a wrecked entry. Three of these probably will die. After their first survey of the wrecked mine government experts expressed the opinion that all of the men imprisoned were dead, and 75 coffins were ordered shipped to the grief-stricken mining camp. Mayor Bourland, of Fort Smith, has issued an appeal for aid for the families of the victims.

## House Rushes Through River and Harbor Bill

The House last Tuesday passed the Rivers and Harbors Appropriation bill, carrying upward of \$26,250,000. The measure went through in quick order, the appropriation being at the rate of more than \$8,500,000 an hour. The vote for the bill was unanimous. Several amendments did not increase the total much.

Twenty of the appropriation items and equal number of survey items were for work or investigations in Florida, the home State of Chairman Sparkman, of the committee. That drew the fire of Minority Leader Mann.

"If there ever was needed an example of the desirability of States maintaining their Representatives in Congress," he said, ironically, "it is to be found here. The gentleman from Florida, now risen to the head of this important committee, having seen to it that every river and harbor in his State was cared for, now provides here for surveys of every harbor, inlet, outlet, river, creek and spring in Florida. When the Panama Canal is completed I have no doubt that steamers drawing 20 feet will be able to pass through the canal and visit every part of Florida." Mr. Sparkman defended the items and Mr. Mann did not press his opposition.

## Death of Mrs. A. W. Goodhand

Mrs. Mary E. Goodhand, wife of Rev. Arthur W. Goodhand, died at her home at Oriole, this county, at an early hour last Wednesday morning, aged 43 years. She is survived by her husband, and three daughters, Misses Anna Deborah, Bease Mae and Margaret Elizabeth Goodhand. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. Margaret Carter, of Philadelphia, and two brothers, Mr. Herman Carter, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Howard Carter, of Chicago.

Funeral services were held at St. Peter's M. E. Church, of which Mrs. Goodhand's husband has been pastor for several years, last Saturday, after which the remains were taken to Baltimore and further services were held at Bethany Methodist Episcopal Church, on Sunday. Interment was in the Western cemetery, Baltimore.

## Bryan May Be a Candidate

Democrats of the House and Senate at Washington have been profoundly stirred by the reports which have come to Washington through the intimate political friends of William J. Bryan to the effect that the Nebraskan is willing to accept another nomination and that he expects to emerge from the Baltimore convention as the compromise candidate of the party. No one seemed to question the authenticity of the report, though no one seemed to know just exactly who passed the word around that Colonel Bryan was at least a passive candidate.

## National Drainage Bill

Twenty-five million dollars for the drainage of swamps and other wet lands of the United States would be appropriated by a bill which Representative Stephens, of Mississippi, Monday of last week presented to Congress.



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## LET PEOPLE RULE, SAYS ROOSEVELT

Opposes President's Attitude on Popular Government.

### PEOPLE'S VOICE MUST PREVAIL

Cheered For Speech in Opening Active Campaign for Nomination—Quoted Taft as Opposed to the Majority, Stands Squarely on His Columbus (O.) Address.

The salient passages in Colonel Roosevelt's forceful campaign speech, delivered in Carnegie hall, New York, Wednesday evening, are given below:

The great fundamental issue now before the Republican party and before our people can be stated briefly. It is, Are the American people fit to govern themselves, to rule themselves, to control themselves? I believe they are. My opponents do not. I believe in the right of the people to rule. I believe that the majority of the plain people of the United States will, day in and day out, make fewer mistakes in governing themselves than any smaller class or body of men, no matter what their training, will make in trying to govern them. I believe again that the American people are as a whole capable of self control and of learning by their mistakes. Our opponents pay lip loyalty to this doctrine, but they show their real beliefs by the way in which they champion every device to make the nominal rule of the people a sham.

I have scant patience with this talk of the tyranny of the majority. Whenever there is tyranny of the majority I shall protest against it with all my heart and soul. But we are today suffering from the tyranny of the minorities. It is a small minority that is grabbing our coal deposits, our water powers and our harbor fronts. A small minority is fattening on the sale of adulterated foods and drugs. It is a small minority that lies behind monopolies and trusts. It is a small minority that stands behind the present law of master and servant, the sweatshops and the whole calendar of social and industrial injustice. It is a small minority that is today using our convention system to defeat the will of a majority of the people in the choice of delegates to the Chicago convention.

#### Not For Recall Everywhere.

My opponents charge that two things in my program are wrong because they intrude into the sanctuary of the judiciary. The first is the recall of judges and the second the review by the people of judicial decisions on certain constitutional questions. I have said again and again that I do not advocate the recall of judges in all states and in all communities. The integrity of our judges, from Marshall to White and Holmes and to Cullen and many others in our own state—is a fine page of American history. But I say it soberly—democracy has a right to approach the sanctuary of the courts when a special interest has corruptly found sanctuary there, and this is exactly what has happened in some of the states where the recall of the judges is a living issue. Is it not equally plain that the question whether a given social policy is for the public good is not of a judicial nature, but should be settled by the legislature or in the final instance by the people themselves?

The president of the United States, Mr. Taft, devoted most of a recent speech to criticism of this proposition.

#### Repels Attack of Deeth.

"Five years ago two doctors told me I had only two years to live." This startling statement was made by Stillman Green, Malachite, Col. "They told me I would die with consumption. It was up to me to try the best lung medicine and I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery. It was well I did, for today I am working and believe I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure that has cheated the grave of another victim." Its folly to suffer with coughs, colds or other throat and lung troubles now. Take the cure that's safest. Price 50 cents and \$1.00.

He says that it "is utterly without merit or utility, and instead of being . . . in the interest of all the people and of the stability of popular government, is sowing the seeds of confusion and tyranny." (By this he, of course, means the tyranny of the majority—that is, the tyranny of the people—that is, the tyranny of the people.) He also says that my proposal (which, as he rightly sees, is merely a proposal to give the people a real instead of only a nominal chance to construe and amend a state constitution with reasonable rapidity) would make such amendment and interpretation "depend on the feverish, uncertain and unstable determination of successive votes on different laws by temporary and changing majorities," and that "it lays the axe at the foot of the tree of well ordered freedom and subjects the guarantees of life, liberty and property without remedy to the fitful impulse of a temporary majority of an electorate."

This criticism is really less a criticism of my proposal than a criticism of all popular government. It is wholly unfounded, unless it is founded on the belief that the people are fundamentally untrustworthy. This is the question that I propose to submit to the people. How can the prevailing morality or a preponderant opinion be better and more exactly ascertained than by a vote of the people? The people must know better than the court what their own morality and their own opinion is. I ask that you here, you and others like you, you the people, be given the chance to state your own views of justice and public morality and not sit meekly by and have your views announced for you by well meaning adherents of outworn philosophies, who exalt the pedantry of formulas above the vital needs of human life.

Mr. Taft's position is the position that has been held from the beginning of our government, although not always so openly held, by a large number of reputable and honorable men who down at bottom distrust popular government and when they must accept it accept it with reluctance and hedge around it with every species of restriction and check and balance so as to make the power of the people as limited and as ineffective as possible. Mr. Taft fairly defines the issue when he says that our government is and should be a government of all the people by a representative part of the people. This is an excellent and moderate description of an oligarchy. It defines our government as a government of all of the people by a few of the people.

I am not speaking jokingly nor do I mean to be unkind, for I repeat that many honorable and well meaning men of high character take this view and have taken it from the time of the formation of the nation. Essentially this view is that the constitution is a strait-jacket to be used for the control of an unruly patient—the people. Now, I hold that this view is not only false, but mischievous, that our constitutions You judge a man not by what he promises to do, but by what he has done. That is the only true test. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judged by this standard has no superior. People everywhere speak of it in the highest terms of praise. For sale by all dealers.

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are instruments designed to secure justice by securing the deliberate but effective expression of the popular will, that the checks and balances are valuable as far and only so far as they accomplish that deliberation and that it is a warped and unworthy and improper construction of our form of government to see in it only a means of thwarting the popular will and of preventing justice. Mr. Taft says that "every class" should have a "voice" in the government. That seems to me a very serious misconception of the American political situation. The real trouble with us is that some classes have had too much voice. One of the most important of all the lessons to be taught and to be learned is that a man should vote not as a representative of a class, but merely as a good citizen, whose prime interests are the same as those of all other good citizens.

#### Taft's "Disbelief in the People."

Mr. Taft again and again, in quotations I have given and elsewhere through his speech, expresses his disbelief in the people when they vote at the polls. In one sentence he says that the proposition gives "powerful effect to the momentary impulse of a majority of an electorate and prepares the way for the possible exercise of the grossest tyranny." Elsewhere he speaks of the "feverish uncertainty" and "unstable determination" of laws by "temporary and changing majorities," and again he says that the system I propose "would result in suspension or application of constitutional guarantees according to popular whim," which would destroy "all possible consistency" in constitutional interpretation. I should much like to know the exact distinction that is to be made between what Mr. Taft calls "the fitful impulse of a temporary majority" when applied to a question such as that I raise and any other question. Remember that under my proposal to review a rule of decision by popular vote, amending or constraining to that extent the constitution, would certainly take at least two years from the time of the election of the legislature which passed the act. Now, only four months elapse between the nomination and the election of a man as president, to fill for four years the most important office in the land. In one of Mr. Taft's speeches he speaks of "the voice of the people as coming next to the voice of God." Apparently, then, the decision of the people about the presidency, after four months' deliberation, is to be treated as "next to the voice of God," but if after two years of sober thought they decide that women and children shall be protected in industry, or men protected from excessive hours of labor under unhygienic conditions, or wage workers compensated when they lose life or limb in the service of others, then their decision forthwith becomes a "whim" and "feverish" and "unstable" and an exercise of "the grossest tyranny" and the "laying of the axe to the foot of the tree of freedom." That is the old, old doctrine which has been acted upon for thousands of years abroad and which here in America has been acted upon sometimes openly, sometimes secretly, for forty years by many men in public and in private life, and I am sorry to say by many judges; a doctrine which has in fact tended to create a bulwark for privilege, a bulwark unjustly protecting special interests against the rights of the people as a whole. This doctrine is to me a dreadful doctrine, for its effect is, and can only be, to make the courts the shield of privilege against popular rights. Naturally, every upholder and beneficiary of crooked privilege loudly applauds the doctrine. It is behind the shield of that doctrine that crooked clauses creep into laws, that men of wealth control legislation.

"Just Judges Safe." Remember I am not discussing the recall of judges—although I wish it distinctly understood that the recall is a mere piece of machinery to take the place of the unworkable impeachment which Mr. Taft in effect defends and that if the days of Maynard ever came back again in the state of New York I should favor it. I have no wish to come to it, but our opponents when they object to all efforts to secure real justice from the courts are strengthening the hands of those who demand the recall. In a great many states there has been for many years a real recall of judges as regards appointments, promotions, reappointments and re-elections, and this recall was through the turn of a thumbscrew at the end of a long distance rod in the hands of great interests. I believe that a just judge would feel far safer in the hands of the people than in the hands of those interests.

My real aim is not the result of a literary study of constitutional law, but of actual and long continued experience in the use of governmental power to redress social and industrial evils. Again and again earnest workers for social justice have said to me that the most serious obstacles that they have encountered during the many years that they have been trying to save American women and children from destruction in American industry have been the courts. That is the judgment of almost all the social workers I know and of dozens of parish priests and clergymen and of every executive and legislator who has been seriously attempting to use government as an agency for social and industrial betterment. What is the result of this system of judicial nullification? It was accurately stated by the court of appeals of New York in the employers' liability case, where it was calmly and judicially declared that the people under our republican government are less free to correct the evils that oppress them than are the people of the monarchies of Europe. To any man with vision, to any man with broad and real social sympathies, to any man who believes with all his heart in this great

democratic republic or with such a condition is intolerable. It is not government by the people, but mere sham government in which the will of the people is constantly defeated. It is out of this experience that my remedy has come, and let it be tried in this field. When as the result of years of education and debate a majority of the people have decided upon a remedy for an evil from which they suffer and have chosen a legislature and executive pledged to embody that remedy in law and the law has been finally passed and approved I regard it as monstrous that a bench of judges shall then say to the people: "You must begin all over again." First, amend your constitution [which will take four years]; second, secure the passage of a new law [which will take two years more]; third, carry that new law over the weary course of litigation [which will take no human being knows how long]; fourth, submit the whole matter over again to the very same judges who have rendered the decision to which you object. Then, if your patience holds out and you finally prevail, the will of the majority of the people may have its way." Such a system is not popular government, but a mere mockery of popular government.

#### People Will Define "Liberty."

The decisions of which we complain are, as a rule, based upon the constitutional provision that no person shall be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law. The terms "life, liberty and property" have been used in the constitutions of the English speaking peoples since Magna Charta. Until within the last sixty years they were treated as having specific meanings—"property" meant tangible property; "liberty" meant freedom from personal restraint, or, in other words, from imprisonment in its largest definition. About 1870 our court began to attach to these terms new meanings. Now "property" has come to mean every right of value which a person could enjoy, and "liberty" has been made to include the right to make contracts. As a result, when the state limits the hours for which women may labor, it is told by the courts that this law deprives them of their "liberty," and when it restricts the manufacture of tobacco in a tenement it is told that the law deprives the landlord of his "property." Now, I do not believe that any people, and especially our free American people, will long consent that the term "liberty" shall be defined for them by a bench of judges. Every people has defined that term for itself in the course of its development.

#### Task is to Strive for Justice.

Friends, our task as Americans is to strive for social and industrial justice, achieved through the genuine rule of the people. This is our end, our purpose. The methods for achieving the end are merely expedients to be finally accepted or rejected according as actual experience shows that they work well or ill. But in our hearts we must have this lofty purpose, and we must strive for it in all earnestness and sincerity or our work will come to nothing. In order to succeed we need leaders of inspired idealism, leaders to whom are granted great visions, who dream greatly and strive to make their dreams come true; who can kindle the people with the fire from their own burning souls. The leader for the time being, whoever he may be, is but an instrument to be used until broken and then to be cast aside, and if he is worth his salt he will care no more when he is broken than a soldier cares when he is sent where his life is forfeit in order that the victory may be won. In the long fight for righteousness the watchword for all of us is spend and be spent. It is of little matter whether any one man fails or succeeds, but the cause shall not fail, for it is the cause of mankind. We, here in America, hold in our hands the hope of the world, the fate of the coming years, and shame and disgrace will be ours if in our eyes the light of high resolve is dimmed, if we trail in the dust the golden hopes of men. If on this new continent we merely build another country of great but unjustly divided material prosperity we shall have done nothing, and we shall do as little as if we merely set the greed of envy against the greed of arrogance and thereby destroy the material well being of all of us. To turn this government either into government by plutocracy or government by a mob would be to repeat on a larger scale the lamentable failures of the world that is dead. We stand against all tyranny, by the few or by the many. We stand for the rule of the many in a spirit of courage, of common sense, of high purpose, above all in a spirit of kindly justice toward every man and every woman.

#### A Great Blow.

A western financier was talking to a Washington reporter about a financial deal that had ended disastrously. "It was too bad," said the reporter. "Too bad?" said the financier, with a grim smile. "Oh, 'too bad' is not strong enough to fit the case. 'Too bad' is ludicrous. It suggests the farmer who when his wife and family were killed by a cyclone said it was 'a great blow' to him."—Exchange.

#### No Emancipation.

"And so you are an ex-slave," said the traveler in the south. "How interesting! But when the war was ended you got your freedom." "No, suh," replied Uncle Rastus. "Ah didn't git no freedom. Ah was married."—New York Times.

#### An Improvement.

Mrs. Winks—So you have taken another companion for better or worse, eh? Mrs. Second Trip—One for better, my dear. He can't possibly be worse than the other one was.

## Treasurer's Sale FOR 1910 TAXES

By virtue of the power and authority vested in me as County Treasurer for Somerset county by the provisions of Chapter 10 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910, I hereby give notice that on

### TUESDAY, APRIL 9th, 1912,

at the hour of 1:30 p. m., at the Court House in Princess Anne, Maryland, I will sell at public auction for cash, all the lots or parcels of land, hereinafter severally mentioned and described, to pay and satisfy the State and County Taxes, levied against the said parcels of land, for the year 1910, or charges due from the several persons to whom the same are assessed, which said taxes are now due and in arrears for said year, together with the interest and costs thereon and costs of sale.

No. 1—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 8 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at Hazard's Cove, conveyed to and assessed to Fred W. Cullen for said year.

No. 2—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road to George D. Ballard, conveyed to and assessed to John Waters for said year.

No. 3—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 5 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Manokin river and the private road of R. F. Leach, adjoining the land of Edward Dize and assessed to Nettie B. Dize for said year.

No. 4—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road, part of the Charles F. Ford estate, conveyed to Elizabeth J. Ford by Wm. C. Ford and assessed to Elizabeth J. Ford for said year.

No. 5—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road, part of the land of W. J. H. Hall's heirs and assessed to David J. Hall for said year.

No. 6—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, whereon David J. Hall resides, adjoining the land of W. J. H. Hall's heirs and assessed to David J. Hall for said year.

No. 7—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 6 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at the junction of the road from Fairmount to Westover and the private road of John S. Sudler, adjoining the land of Davy Holland and assessed to George W. Maddox for said year.

No. 8—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Patterson Holland, Wm. A. Ford and Nancy Leach and assessed to Annie G. Meredith for said year.

No. 9—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Levi Hicks, Rosetta Collins and D. J. Maddox and assessed to Ladda Miles for said year.

No. 10—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road leading by L. J. Hall's land, adjoining the lands of M. Hall and Charles E. Ford and assessed to Clara F. Parks for said year.

No. 11—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Rosa Shaw and Elizabeth Cox and assessed to Nettie J. Parks for said year.

No. 12—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, adjoining the lands of H. C. Tull and Elizabeth Waters and assessed to John E. Pearson for said year.

No. 13—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Fairmount to Ford's Wharf, adjoining the land of Joseph Chelton, whereon Page Toadvin formerly resided, and assessed to Ella A. Thomas for said year.

No. 14—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of John H. Ford, George Selby and Billy Maddox and assessed to Robert J. Sorrell for said year.

No. 15—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Davy's road, adjoining the lands of John E. Hall and Edward Johnson and assessed to Page Toadvin for said year.

No. 16—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 60 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road leading from Harry Muir's store to Jericho, adjoining the lands of Robert Leach and John H. Ford and assessed to John E. Parks for said year.

No. 17—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 25 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the north side of the county road leading to Jericho, near Harry Muir's store and assessed to Reuben and Rome Parks for said year.

No. 18—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, near the colored church, Upper Fairmount and near the land of Robert H. Jones' land and assessed to Fred A. Cullen for said year.

No. 19—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road to the E. of P. cemetery, adjoining the land of Robert H. Jones and assessed to Isaac T. Ford for said year.

No. 20—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 94 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on Back Creek, adjoining the lands of John S. Sudler and Oden Ballard and assessed to Jacob A. Jones for said year.

No. 21—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on George Davy's private road, adjoining the lands of George E. Maddox and Edward Waters and assessed to William J. Waters for said year.

No. 22—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Aliza Whittington, John Waters and John Hall and assessed to Thomas G. Horsey for said year.

No. 23—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of D. W. Miles, Mrs. Brittain and Wm. Wheatley and assessed to John T. Johnson for said year.

No. 24—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 8 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, on or near the county road from Jamestown to Kingston, adjoining the land of Albert Sudler and assessed to Robert Ballard for said year.

No. 25—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 48 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a road leading to the Teague's Creek road, adjoining the land formerly owned by Josiah Avery and assessed to Elijah Cox's heirs for said year.

No. 26—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of William E. Muir, John Custus and Rosetta Collins and assessed to William Turpin for said year.

No. 27—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Robert H. Jones and assessed to Isaac T. Ford for said year.

district, said county and state, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Robert H. Jones, Littleton J. Waters and Isaac J. Waters and assessed to M. D. Waters for said year.

No. 28—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 14 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at the head of Teague's Creek, conveyed to William H. Adams by Margaret H. Tull et al. and assessed to said Margaret H. Tull for said year.

No. 29—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 4 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Annie E. Holland, George Leach and William T. Holland and assessed to Maggie E. Layfield for said year.

No. 30—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Manokin river, adjoining Thomas Blake and David Tyler and Kate Winder and assessed to Louise A. Tyler for said year.

No. 31—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road to George Davy's, conveyed to John Waters by Thomas E. Ballard and assessed to John Waters for said year.

No. 32—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the "Lower Hill," adjoining the lands of Joseph Muir, deceased, and John H. Ford and assessed to John E. Hall for said year.

No. 33—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a Hill Ridge, adjoining the land owned or formerly by Vaughn Beauchamp and assessed to Noah F. Holland for said year.

No. 34—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at "Upper Hill," adjoining or near the land of Robt. H. Boggs and assessed to John W. Boggs for said year.

No. 35—All that lot of land in Fairmount district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on or near the "Lower Hill" and assessed to Levin T. Waters for said year.

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late of Somerset county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before

Sixth Day of August, 1912,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 30th day of January, 1912.

SUE B. DAVIS and JOHN T. HANDY,

Administrators of William T. Davis, dec'd.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—This is to

give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Somerset County letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

JOHN H. MUIR,

late of Somerset county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before

Twenty-third day of July, 1912,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 16th day of January, 1912.

MARY L. MUIR,

Executrix of John H. Muir, deceased.

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### Auditor's Notice.

William J. Scott and wife, vs. Joseph G. Scott, Jr., and others.

No. 2709, Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of the share of Joseph G. Scott in the real estate sold by H. Fillmore Lankford, trustee under decree of the said court in the above cause, are notified to file their claims with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated according to law with me on or before the 4th day of April next, as I shall on that day, at my office in Princess Anne, proceed to distribute the assets of said estate among the persons thereto entitled according to law.

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Ninth Day of July, 1912, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of January, 1912.

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Princess Anne, Md.

late of Somerset county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber on or before the

Seventh Day of May, 1912,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 31st day of October, 1911.

CORNELIA C. JONES, Admistr'rix of Samuel H. Colonna, dec'd

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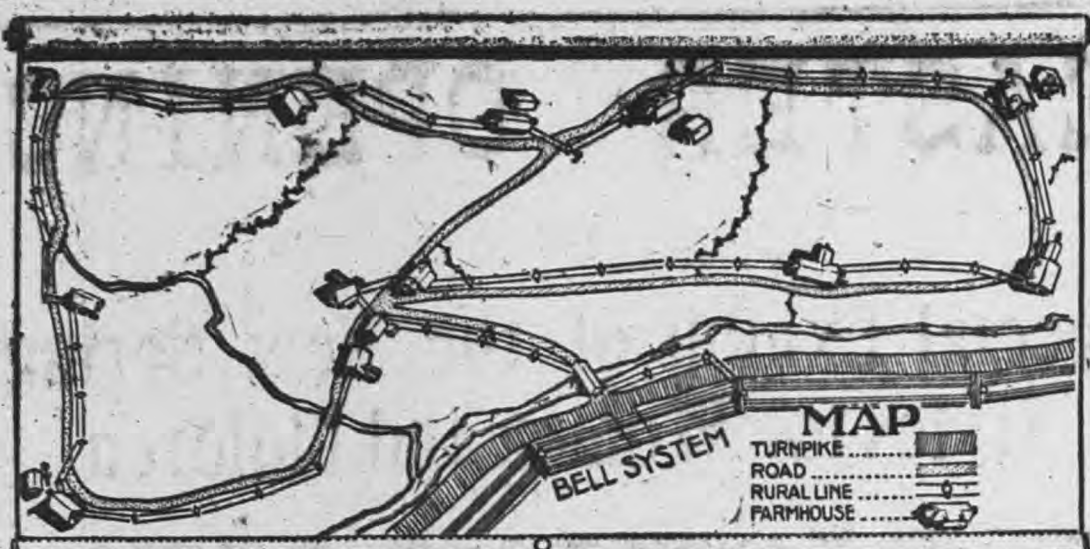
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Sense of Hunger and Thirst. Whether the hunger sense has its seat in the stomach and thirst in the throat has been a subject of much scientific controversy. The Italian physician, Valenti, puts the seat of both these emotions in the gullet. He found that a cocaine injection in the oesophagus (the channel from the mouth to the stomach) resulted in immediate suppression of the feeling of both hunger and thirst.

Savages have long known that the chewing of coca leaves renders the gullet insensitive and destroys any desire for food or drink.—Chicago Tribune.

Trouble in Store for Him. There is a rough time in store for the little boy whose antics have led his distracted parents to thus appeal for assistance through an advertisement in an English paper: "Nurse.—Wanted, a robust, God-fearing Scotch nurse, who can teach the shorter catechism and has a working knowledge of the business side of a slipper, to take charge of a four-year-old boy who has a double dose of original sin."

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Seventh Day of May, 1912,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 31st day of October, 1911.

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Children Cry

FOR FLETCHER'S

CASTORIA

## The Joy of Christ

His Sinless Nature and Infinite Love

THERE is a prevalent misconception concerning the daily life and experiences of the Lord Jesus when he was with us. We think of him as the "Man of sorrows," and rightly. "He carried his sorrows," the burden of our guilt was upon him. He was so in sympathy with men that their burdens and sorrows became his. The incompleteness of character, the hypocrisy and deceit which met him everywhere, the thousand forms of iniquity which filled the world, our guilt laid upon his soul, did indeed fill him with sorrow; there was no sorrow like his. It was a deep undercurrent that became greater as he approached the end. Even when all would seem to be far removed from this, when the multitudes were about him seeking his blessing, we hear him say: "My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even unto death."

But with all this his heart was full of joy. There was sorrow, but there was no sadness; there was a burden, but there was no disappointment; there was the keen sense of the guilt of sin and of the agony of the atonement, but there was no hesitation. We see the tumult, but he speaks of "my peace," his own peculiar peace; we see the suffering, but his highest wish for his disciples was that "my joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full."

Life's Suffering and Happiness. Suffering and happiness are not incompatible; sorrow and joy are not so antagonistic that they may not dwell in the same heart. There is a grace which rises above the suffering, and makes it minister to joy. It is one of the wonderful things of grace that it so lifts us up out of our surroundings and out of ourselves, that there is perfect peace even when the suffering is greatest. We have seen the victim of disease racked with pain whose face beamed with joy, and whose words were songs of praise. The martyrs sang as they burned. So with Jesus; at the very time when his cup was filled to the overflowing, he talked with his disciples out of a heart perfectly at rest.

There was to Jesus the joy of his sinless nature. We cannot measure that, but we may sometimes have a foretaste of it; there may be such a sense of pardon and of Divine love that we are as in the presence of God, but our highest short experience is far below the blessedness which was perpetual in the soul of Jesus. To him there was the joy of infinite love. He gave himself for others, and in their salvation his joy was above all suffering. The prayer of the penitent thief was to him the joy of love prevailing, even over the thorns and the nails. There to him was the consciousness of his Father's love and support. He dwelt on that love. Even with the cross before him, in the communion of the holy fellowship his very garments shone with the glory of God. He was mocked and scorned, but all the time he saw his work prevailing.

All Typical of His Love.

The lame man walking, the dumb man singing the praise of God, the dead man coming back to life, were typical of a greater work of love in the salvation of men. He thought of the man whose sins were forgiven as one saved, and not simply healed. The world redeemed was not present to him. How great the joy of that hour as he prayed, "Holy Father, keep those whom thou hast given me!" We can know but little of that higher world in which Jesus lived, for it is the world of perfect holiness and infinite love, but we see something of it; we have something in common with him, so that we can enter into his joy sufficiently to know that it crowned all labor and sweetened all sorrow. The "Man of sorrows let him ever be, but also we should open our hearts to receive the infowing of his ever-present, unbounded joy.—United Presbyterian.

Joy of the Lord.

Sorrow for sin is the road to the joy of salvation. As with the people of Israel of old, the terrors of the law are only the reverse side of the glory of the gospel; the warnings are only shadows of the promises. So Ezra spoke words of consolation to the weeping people assembled to hear from his lips God's message to them. "This day is holy unto Jehovah your God; mourn not nor weep, for the joy of Jehovah is your strength."

The joy that gives strength is a divine joy. It is called "the joy of Jehovah." For pain and rapture meet in the life of God. He, too, feels anguish for the broken law as he sees it in the broken lives of his children, and he, bearing the burden of the world's agony in atoning love, touches the blessedness of divinely joy through sacrificial service, when he sees of the travail of his soul and is satisfied. When we learn to share his heart-break over a lost world and lost souls we shall have also entered into the joy of our Lord.

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## PARIS HAS A SWEET TOOTH.

A Poet to Whom Candy Brought Better Results Than His Rimes.

The best business in Paris is said to be that of the well established and popular confectioner, and this fact has been recognized, it is said, since the days of Napoleon III. and his natural brother, the Duke de Morny. "The duke," says Le Cri de Paris, "had a weakness for writing vaudevilles and often asked the counsel of Siraudin, who was a skillful collaborator of Clairville."

"But the theater brought no riches to Siraudin. One day Morny said to him: 'My friend, I want to see thee in a better situation. The idea comes to me to put thee in commerce. What dost thou say to it?'"

"Siraudin received this proposition joyfully, but what line of trade should he choose? Morny and Siraudin set out on the principle that the best business was evidently the one in which there were fewest failures. They conscientiously scanned the bulletin of declarations of bankruptcy. All the trades were represented there—all except one; that was the confectioner, and Morny gave to Siraudin the necessary capital to establish himself as a merchant of bonbons. Siraudin ingeniously conciliated the lyric muse. He wrapped his pralines, his sugar plums and his chocolates in kiss papers, each inclosing his printed verses. Morny did better than establish him. He frequented his shop. As the duke was the king of the world of fashion, he drew all Paris by his example, and the fortune of the poet-confectioner Siraudin was made."

## THE STARS APPEARED.

He Only Wanted to See One, but He Was Introduced to a Cluster.

He had been celebrating, not wisely, but too well, and getting obstreperous and noisy and looking for a fight he was tackled by a policeman who in plain clothes was on his way home. The drunken one showed fight and was indignant that an apparently private citizen should try to arrest him. "Show me your star," he demanded. "Don't believe you're a cop at all. Won't go with you till I see your star," and he aimed a maulin blow at the policeman.

There was a scuffle and a fight, short lived, but strenuous, and the drunken man was landed in the police station, where he stayed all night. In the morning it was a disheveled and torn wreck that appeared before the magistrate and who listened to the policeman relate the trouble he had in getting him to the station house.

"He wanted to fight me all the way to the station, your honor. He kept pulling back and trying to trip me and yelling: 'Show me your star! I won't go unless you show me your star.'"

"And," asked the magistrate gently, "did you show him your star?"

"Your honor," interrupted the prisoner, "he clouted me on the head, and I saw the star—I saw several of them, enough to go around the entire force."

Population by Race.

The population of the world by race is: Indo-Germanic (white), 550,000,000; Mongolian (yellow and brown), 630,000,000; Semitic (white), 65,000,000; Negro (black), 150,000,000; Malay (brown), 35,000,000; American Indian (red), 15,000,000. This latter figure includes every variety of the redman in all parts of the earth, the actual number of Indians in North America being much less than a million. The white race is increasing much faster than the others, owing probably to its superior intelligence and scientific knowledge of medicine and sanitation.—New York American.

Sounded All Right.

Patience—Well, he told the truth, anyway. Patience—How so? Patience—When he was buying the solitaire he told the jeweler it was for a sister. Patience—Well, I'm sure that wasn't true. Patience—Why, yes; when he offered it to the girl she promised to be a sister to him.—Yonkers Statesman.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## A DEED OF DARING

One of Mad Anthony Wayne's Remarkable Achievements.

## STORMING OF STONY POINT.

This Brilliant Feat of Arms, In Which Success Was Won at the Point of the Bayonet, Was One of the Most Desperate Incidents of Any War.

One of the most marvelous achievements credited to American bravery and strategy was that of the capture of Stony Point by Mad Anthony Wayne, who was one of the most picturesque figures of the American revolution. When he was superseded in command of the Pennsylvania line, even after his brilliant success at Monmouth on June 28, 1778, a less ambitious and patriotic man would have resigned his commission.

It seemed the irony of fate that the setback in his career should follow so closely the official encomiums for his work at Monmouth, but that very setback gave him Stony Point—the greatest opportunity of his life—and he made good.

There were two important factors, discipline and valor, that entered into this remarkable achievement, the capture of a fortress on the Hudson held by the British and considered almost impregnable. Stony Point was an island and the fortress was built on a rock which was precipitous and rough. It was guarded by three redoubts and protected by a double abatis of logs that extended across the peninsula. The post was garrisoned by 607 men, who felt so secure in their position that they were wont to refer to the post as the "Little Gibraltar."

On July 14 General Wayne assembled all his troops at Sandy Beach, and at that moment none of his soldiers knew the plans of their commander. The following day the march began over a wilderness trail and in perfect silence. Not a man was allowed to leave the column under penalty of death. By 8 o'clock that night they were within one and one-half miles of the British fortress. Then the men were told of the desperate work ahead of them and the battle order read.

No man was allowed to load his musket, and the battle was to be won or lost with the bayonet alone. One portion of the order provided that any man found retreating a single foot was to be put to death at once.

Close to midnight the order to advance was given. The fort was to be attacked from all sides. Once in motion General Wayne lost no time. The British opened fire with guns, both great and small. Seventeen of the twenty men in one advance guard were shot down, but the companies in the rear eagerly pressed on. General Wayne himself, struck in the head with a musket ball, fell stunned. He recovered in a moment and, rising on one knee, shouted: "March on! March on!" Then, turning to his aids he begged them to take him into the fort so that if his wound was mortal he would die at the head of his column.

General Wayne's wound drove his followers to a frenzy. They dashed up the hill and battered down all opposition. Colonel Fleury, a French officer in the American service, at the head of his determined band forced his way up the redoubt and as the soldiers poured into the fort grasped the British flag and lowered it. The victory was complete. The British lost 53 killed and 543 taken prisoners, of whom 70 were wounded. The Americans lost 15 killed and had 83 wounded. It was one of the most daring and desperate incidents of any war.

From every point of view the storming of Stony Point was a remarkable feat of arms, but back of the success of that night was a story of preparedness, the cause which has always been overshadowed by the brilliancy of the result. General Wayne had trained his men, stimulated their pride, enforced rigid discipline, had them at the point of attack at the right moment and then with inspiring valor led them.

The victory at Stony Point naturally aroused a tremendous enthusiasm, and it came at the right time. The country was depressed if not quite discouraged, and Stony Point was like a tonic. It gave the people more strength, more courage and at a time when they sadly needed it. Not only did General Wayne receive official recognition, but he was in receipt of hundreds of congratulatory letters expressing popular and professional opinion.—Chicago News.

A Cheerful Suggestion.

Not long ago a stock of crockery was sold at auction, and Mrs. Wilson attended the sale. When she returned her face was radiant with joy.

"You must join the cremation society," were the first words she said to her husband.

Mrs. W.—What for?

Mrs. W.—I've bought such a lovely vase to hold your ashes! You have no idea how it will set off the mantelpiece.—London Answers.

Has a Right to Be Resentful.

"I don't mind having my trousers, my coat, my necktie or even my collar splashed with mud by an automobile," says a South Broad street man. "But when one motorcar splatters my spectacles so that I can't see to dodge the next one I think I have a right to feel resentful."—Newark News.

Saving comes too late when you get to the bottom.—Seneca.



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### Oyster Legislation

It is unfortunate that scarcely a Legislature passes that does not tinker the oyster law. One would suppose that after all these years the vexatious problem would have been solved.

The present Legislative session is no exception and all sorts of bills and amended bills have been introduced. Whether any of these will be passed waits to be seen. New legislation has the effect of arousing suspicion on the part of those whose living in the main depends upon strenuous work and exposure on the water. To them, talk of monopolies, motor boats on leased holdings and the like are so many danger signals.

Whilst this paper is not a strong upholder of commissions of any form, yet when the shell-fish commission was created, we were more tolerant, in the hope that order would now come out of chaos. We are not now prepared to say that the commission should be abolished; on the contrary we believe its work should have time to be thoroughly tested. A new system might be no better, if as good.

The supply of oysters does not seem to be decreasing, according to those supposed to be informed. If this be so and the natural rocks are more than furnishing the market, why the necessity for new legislation? The question is, have we not had Legislation enough and should we not be afforded time to test what we already have?

### A Dangerous Doctrine

Many people are misled by the speeches of noted persons who, in their effort to attract attention, assume positions on public questions that have dangerous tendencies. This is especially true at this time when attention is attracted to the doctrine of judicial recall.

The old belief that the majority should rule may be strained woefully if the decision of judges upon constitutional questions shall be subjected to the will of a multitude of untrained or ignorant people. There are legal methods, of historical repute, of dealing with unrighteous officials. To subordinate these methods to the voice of a majority of the popular vote is a most questionable proceeding.

The doctrine of recall has a socialistic ring. The voice of the people may be far from the voice of God, the old Latin adage to the contrary. The multitude started upon a system of impatience might easily fall into a policy of force and when overexcited, the majority might degenerate into a mob.

It is a grave matter for men of note to play upon popular passions, and those who do so assume the gravest kind of responsibility.

### Bribery

The Legislature did well to pause and order an investigation of the charge that one of its members had been approached with a bribe. The merits of this particular case are not so important to the general public as the necessity for rebuking in the most merciful manner any tendency to such unrighteous methods.

The representatives of the people are supposed to be above reproach, and they should be held to the strictest accountability for their conduct; and on the other hand every guard should be placed against the intrusion of people whose motives are baneful.

It is not every one who is strong enough to resist temptation. Especially is this true of youth in humble circumstances. The more reason why the strong arm of the law should intervene at the slightest suspicion of impropriety. The investigation of the present case, whatever its outcome, should prove a wholesome warning to wrong doers.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been surprised and delighted with the prompt relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Not one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. This Liniment is for sale by all dealers.

### What Do The People Wish?

We have been hearing assurances, wearisome in their iteration, about their confidence and irritating in their truculence, of what the people demand. Every man has the private right of assuming that he is an embodiment of the public, and that what he wants the public wants. But let his noisy declarations of what the people wish be frankly acknowledged as the mere reflection of his own wishes, or else let him produce some evidence of the popular desires.

What evidence is there? Well, a good surface indication is the general drift of newspaper expressions. We do not pretend that this is conclusive, but as the newspapers appeal directly to public support, they are not likely persistently and over a large area to antagonize the prevailing public opinion within their respective parties. The only documentary and statistical proof of public opinion we can get is the election returns. In detail that is imperfect, but in a broad view and over a fair stretch of time it is adequate and conclusive.

For example, the fact that the Democrats carried such States as Maine, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Ohio in 1910 is pretty good evidence that the people are turning away in disgust from the Republican party, and especially from the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. That evidence may be corroborated next November; it may be reversed. But for the present that is the best evidence we have of what the people desire.

What evidence have we of what the people wish as to Presidential candidates? The selection of delegates to the national conventions creates a reasonable presumption. The public sentiment may in some cases be defeated by official patronage, or by a conspiracy of political bosses. But such things cannot control a general drift over widely scattered parts of the country. In the meanwhile the shouters for one candidate or another who pretend to know that the people are enthusiastically determined on some course of which there is no indication in the newspapers or in the local conventions are making themselves as ridiculous as they are tiresome.—Philadelphia Record.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, as Lucas County.

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### Limitations of the Primary

The inadequacy of the direct primary as a means of nominating Presidential candidates is well illustrated by the situation which the Democratic State convention of Maine recognizes as sufficient reason for sending an uninvited delegation to the Baltimore convention. Senator Obadiah Gardner and one of the Democratic Congressmen are for Governor Wilson, but the Harmon forces have as many members of the State committee as has the New Jersey Governor. Speaker Clark and Congressman Underwood have enthusiastic supporters as well. The district delegates are divided in their attitude and it is generally agreed that popular opinion has clearly defined preferences.

The situation is paralleled in many other States, and is likely to continue so up to the time of the convention. It is improbable that were a nationwide primary to be held in July, as provided in the Cummins primary bill, or were State primaries to be held generally in place of State conventions, a majority vote could be secured for any one of the four leading Democratic candidates, to which list in such a primary the name of Bryan would necessarily be added. A two-thirds vote, which is the traditional Democratic requirement, would be still less probable.

Similarly complex situations may be expected in the Republican party in any Presidential campaign. The limited choice between two candidates which occurs this year, and which makes a popular expression of preference plausible, is exceptional. So far as we have had any experience with direct primaries, the effect has been to multiply candidacies and to scatter the expression of public opinion, rather than to concentrate it. The limitations of the Presidential primary are practical, rather than theoretical.—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Children are much more likely to contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say be aware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

### The Allens' Trial.

The trial of Floyd Allen and his son and any other of the Allens who may be captured in the interim will begin April 15. This trial will be conducted by Judge Campbell in the Carroll county court where the murder of Judge Massie and other court officers was perpetrated. It has been definitely decided to try the Allens in Hillsville, the scene of their crime. Difficulty will doubtless be had in the selection of a jury, but jurymen will be impeached from three counties—Pulaski, Carroll and Grayson.

You can say goodbye to constipation with a clear conscience if you use Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured by their use. For sale by all dealers.

If consumptives can be treated successfully at a dispensary, obviating the necessity of leaving their work and their families to go to a sanitarium, the fact is of the greatest importance. The Medical Record publishes an account by Dr. Russell of his work in New York in this direction, and he seems to have effected a larger percentage of cures than can be credited to the sanitarium. He depends entirely on the feeding of the patients, who must come to his dispensary twice every day, and his hours are arranged to accommodate men who are earning their livings. This seems to put the possibility of health within the reach of victims of tuberculosis who could not go to a sanitarium without becoming objects of charity and leaving their families to endure like humiliation.—Philadelphia Record.

### Glorious News

comes from D. J. T. Curtis, Dwight, Kan. He writes: "I not only have cured bad cases of eczema in my patients with Electric Bitters, but also cured myself by them of the same disease. I feel sure they will benefit any case of eczema." This shows what thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is a most effective blood purifier. Its an excellent remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Price 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by Omar A. Jones, Druggist, Princess Anne, Md.

## Public Sale

The subscriber will offer at public sale on the premises known as the "Albert Sudler Farm," about one-half mile from Westover, Maryland, on Wednesday, March 27th, 1912, commencing about 10 o'clock a. m., the following Personalty: Two Belgian Brood Mares, heavy with foal, will weigh 1400 pounds each, 11 and 12 years old; Black Horse, 10 years old, weight 1250 pounds; Bay Driving Mare, 7 years old, will weigh 1000 pounds; one Percheron Colt, one year old on the 16th of April, weighing 700 pounds; one pair of Mules, 12 years old, weighing 1100 pounds each; one Cow 7 years old, will be fresh in June; one Cow 5 years old, giving milk; one Durham Heifer, giving milk; Four Brood Sows, darroco all bred; one registered darroco male, one McCormick Grass Mower, Osborne Disc Harrow, Superior Grain Drill, good as new; Black Hawk Corn Planter, Brown sulky corn plow, Deere Corn Plow, two spike-tooth harrows, spring-tooth harrow, grass seeder, three breaking plows, feed cooker, Auburn farm wagon and bed, top buggy, hay rack, two sets of work harness, single set of driving harness, about 500 bushels of corn, steel range, three heating stoves, two bedsteads, one new; one cupboard and other articles, too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—On all sums of \$10.00 and under the cash will be required; over that amount a credit of four months will be given on bankable note with approved security with interest from day of sale.

P. M. RADABAUGH.

## Attorney's Sale

OF VALUABLE

## Farm Property

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from Sutton A. Potee and wife to Laura P. Fitzgerald, dated the 19th day of February, 1910, and recorded among the Land Records of Somerset County, Maryland, in Liber S. F. D., No. 51, folios 524 et seq., default having been made in the payment and covenants of said mortgage, the undersigned, attorney named therein, will sell at public auction, in front of the Court House Door, in Princess Anne, Maryland, on

Tuesday, April 16th, 1912 at about the hour of 1.30 p. m., all that farm, tract or tracts of land whereon Herman Potee now resides, known as part of "The Clover Field Tract," situate in East Princess Anne Election District, in said Somerset county, and on the County road leading from Princess Anne to "Anderson's Bridge," and adjoining the land owned or recently owned by Ernest P. Dryden, Marion D. Barnes and others, and containing

180 1-4 Acres,

more or less, and being the same land conveyed to said Sutton A. Potee, by William J. Scott and wife and Joseph G. Scott and wife by deed dated January 24th, 1908, and recorded among said Land Records in Liber S. F. D., No. 48, folios 123 et seq.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash, as prescribed by said mortgage, but more liberal arrangements for payments can be made by purchaser by application to the undersigned.

GEORGE H. MYERS, Attorney.

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## EASTER OPENING

—AND—

Special Exhibit of the New Spring  
Styles for Women and Children

# AT DICKINSON'S

Wednesday and Thursday,

# March 27th and 28th

On these days it will be our purpose to show our immense stock of goods without importuning you too strongly to buy. We hope for the attendance of everyone interested, who desires to be well informed concerning the dominant fashions for Spring and Summer 1912.

You are Invited—Everybody is Invited, to this our Most  
Brilliant of all Spring Openings

**Our Easter Display of Coat Suits, Skirts and Waists is very interesting**

Our new spring suits are decidedly in advance of the spring styles now being shown and embody the newest fashion touches which will mark the correct late spring and summer models. The materials include whipcords and serges in plain and fancy trimmed effects in the newest spring shades.

### In Waists

We offer a wide range of models from the plain tailored to the elaborately trimmed.

### House Dresses

neat, pretty and sensible. We invite thorough and critical inspection.

### New Underwear

A splendid line of muslin, cambric and nainsook underwear all neatly made and attractively trimmed with lace and embroideries. All widths—all prices.

**Opening Exhibition of Millinery. Hats to suit every individual taste**

Our hats this season are full of distinction, they are chic, they are above all becoming and offered to you at sensible prices. The offerings this season will be characterized by masterpieces of American and European designs. Our Milliners have reached the climax of beauty in these attractive spring and summer creations. The new "Derby" will be on display. Also the "1880" and "Envelope" models.

**Mourning Millinery a Specialty**  
Also a splendid showing of Misses and Children's Easter Hats.

**Opening Display of Laces And Embroideries**

Surely the adorning of a lingerie waist or dress was never simpler or pleasanter than this spring with such a wealth of new, dainty, embroideries of every description from which to make a selection.

## INVITATION

Your presence is requested on one or both of the above dates—We want you to acquaint yourself with what is newest and best for Spring and Summer 1912. Polite and attentive salespeople will be in attendance and will gladly answer all questions without any obligation on your part to buy. For the entertainment of all visitors

## SPECIAL MUSIC WILL BE RENDERED

from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Ladies' Waiting Room, in rear of Cloak Room is at your service. . .

**New Spring And Summer Dress Goods**

Embracing Novelty Suitings, San Toy, Serges, Marquisettes, French Gingham, Colored Lines, Wonder Silks, Holly Batiste, Embroidered Batistes, Ratine, Cotton Voiles, in plain, stripe and bordered.

### Rain Coats

The New Rubberized Rain Coats are particularly fetching, all sizes, from \$4.50 to \$12.50.

### New Silks For Easter.

An elaborate showing of Foulards, Messalines, Soft Taffetas, in every new weave, design and color that fashion demands for evening and street wear. Prices range from 50 cents to \$1.50 yard.

**An Unusual Display of Furniture**

We are ready to present for your inspection the new designs in Furniture, which comprises everything needed for any home. We also direct your attention to our new line of Mattings, Rugs, Curtains and General House Furnishings.

Wool Fibre Rugs (36x64) Price, \$1.00.  
Wool Fibre Druggets (9x12) Price, \$8.50.

**Splendid Line of Notions**

Gloves, Silk Hose, Handkerchiefs, etc.

**Taffeta Underskirts,**  
from \$2.75 to \$10.00.

**Messaline Underskirts,**  
all colors, from \$2.25 to \$5.75.

Wednesday and Thursday, March 27 and 28

# W. S. DICKINSON & SON,

Dress Goods, Notions,  
Leaders in Carpets, Furniture,  
Wall Paper and Millinery,  
China and Cut Glass,

POCOMOKE CITY,

MARYLAND

## Attorney's Sale OF VALUABLE Real Estate

Under and by virtue of the power and authority, contained in a purchase money lien, given by Margaret L. Bruce to William E. Walton, said lien being among the covenants of a deed between the said Bruce of the one part, and the said Walton and wife of the other part dated the 17th day of Nov. 1910, and recorded among the Land Records of Somerset County, Maryland, in Liber S. F. D., No. 55, folios 459, etc., default having been made in the payments and covenants provided in said lien, the undersigned, attorney named therein, will sell at public auction in front of the Court House door, in Princess Anne, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1912, at about the hour of 1.30 p. m., all the following described real estate, situate in Dublin Election District, in Somerset County, and more particularly described, as follows:

First—All that lot or parcel of land, situate near Costen Station, adjoining the lands owned or recently owned by John L. Parades, Huet Costen and the late Elizabeth Dryden, and also adjoining the right of way of the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad Company, and containing

133 ACRES,

more or less, and being the same land which was conveyed unto the said William E. Walton by Noah W. McGee and wife, by deed dated the 23rd day of January, 1909, and recorded among the land records of said Somerset county in Liber S. F. D., No. 50, folios 213, etc.

Second—Also all that lot or parcel of land situate and lying on the County Road leading from Costen Station to Wellington, and containing

44 1-2 ACRES

of land, more or less, which is particularly described, by courses and distances, metes and bounds, in a deed unto said William E. Walton from Robert H. Jordan, dated the 4th day of December, 1909, and recorded among the said land records in Liber S. F. D., No. 53, folio 90, etc.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Title papers at purchaser's expense.

JOSHUA W. MILES, Attorney.

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### Financial Statement

Of the Fidelity and Casualty Company, of New York.

Capital	\$ 1,000,000.00
Total Admitted Assets	10,482,682.48
Total Liabilities	9,567,225.49
Surplus	9,925,456.99

ROBERT F. MADDOX, Agent, Princess Anne, Md.

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## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF MARYLAND Order No. 597

In the matter of the Application of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company for Approval and Authorization of the issue by said Company of an increase of its Capital Stock to the amount of \$1,250,000 as a stock dividend to its stockholders for their partial redemption on account of certain expenditures made out of the Company's surplus net earnings, which but for such expenditure thereof would have been available for dividends.

Before the Public Service Commission of Maryland. Case No. 20.

The above entitled matter being under consideration, it is this 21st day of February, 1912, by the Public Service Commission of Maryland.

Ordered: That the same be, and it is hereby set for hearing at the office of the Commission, Baltimore, Maryland, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27th, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m., provided the applicant causes a copy of this order to be published at least three times before the said 27th day of March, 1912, in some newspaper published in each of the counties of Worcester, Somerset and Worcester, in the State of Maryland, and also three times before said date of hearing in some daily newspaper published in Baltimore City, Maryland, which has a circulation in the counties aforesaid.

J. W. HERING,  
B. T. FENDALL,  
True Copy. Test: Commissioners.  
LOUIS M. DUVALL, Secretary. 3-5

### Order Nisi.

Edward T. Landon, ex parte, Under power in mortgage from Shadrach Selby.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County, No. 2723, Chancery.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the proceeds thereof made and reported by Edward T. Landon, Assignee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 13th day of April next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper printed in Somerset county once in each of three successive weeks before the 13th day of April next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$100. 0.

S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk.  
True Copy. Test: S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk.

### Auditor's Notice.

Wm. W. D. Kelly vs. Robert Wheatley and others.

No. 2695 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of the property of Gertrude Wheatley, deceased, made and reported by Harry C. Dashiell, trustee, are hereby notified to file their claims with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated according to law, with me on or before the tenth day of April, 1912, as I shall on that day at my office in Princess Anne, proceed to distribute the assets of said estate among the persons thereunto entitled according to law.

E. D. McMASTER, Auditor.

### Auditor's Notice.

In the matter of Sarah D. Ballard, Lunatic.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of the property of Sarah D. Ballard, Lunatic, made and reported by Harry C. Dashiell, trustee, are hereby notified to file their claims duly authenticated according to law, with me on or before the first day of April, 1912, as I shall on that day at my office in Princess Anne, proceed to distribute the assets of said Lunatic according to law.

E. D. McMASTER, Auditor.

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Notices of Marriages and Deaths will be published free—but Obituaries must be paid for at the rate of five cents per line.

### Business Pointers

Ten (10) cents a line for the first insertion and five (5) thereafter.

Blacksmithing in all its branches. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

The Dock Ash Range a specialty. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

Sprayers of all description and spraying materials at Hayman's. Don't neglect your trees.

LOST—1 Automobile Top Cover in Princess Anne or on Stone Road. Reward if returned to this office.

FOR SALE—One Cow, will soon be fresh, and a Sidney Prince Colt, 1 year old. Geo. L. Powell, Rehoboth, Md.

Farming Implements of all kinds—Machinery and repairs for same—Wire Fencing. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

MILLINERY OPENING—Miss Ella V. Smith invites you to inspect her display of Spring Millinery on Saturday, March 30th.

Oliver Chilled Plows—Sulkey Plows, Oliver Chilled Gang Plows and Planet Junior Cultivator. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

ANY place in town, by the Somerset taxi services, only 15 cents; night, 25 cents; waiting time, 30 cents per hour. Local Phone 8.

FOR SALE—Klondike, Climax, Missionary and Gandy Strawberry Plants at \$1.00 per thousand. Alton E. Dryden, Princess Anne, Route 1.

FOR SALE—Strawberry Plants—Climax, Klondike, Missionary and Gandies at \$1.00 per thousand. B. C. DRYDEN, Route 1, Farmers' Telephone.

FOR SALE—A fine Horse Cart of our own completion—made of the best selected materials and guaranteed in every particular. E. S. Pusey.

WANTED—Raw Fur of all kinds. Get my special prices on Muskrat hides before selling elsewhere. S. LYNN DAUGHERTY, Curwensville, Pa.

WANTED—Eggs and chickens for cash. Notify me at my residence, Antioch avenue extended, Princess Anne. E. F. MILLIGAN.

FOR SALE—Missionary and Gandy Strawberry Plants, Asparagus Roots, and one young Horse, 4 years old. CHARLES H. SPEIGHTS, Westover, Md.

FOR SALE—Pair of Mules, will weigh about 1100 lbs. each, ages 10 and 12 years, and three "Good Friday" colts, one and two years old. JOHN A. POPE, Route 3, Princess Anne, Md.

Persons desiring to buy farm land in Somerset county will find it to their interest to consult the undersigned who has for sale some good farms that can be bought cheap. LEVIN H. HALL, Surveyor of Somerset County.

Standard Farming Implements of every description, including all necessary repairs for same—call and see us. Splendid display of single-trees of finest white oak. E. S. Pusey.

The Iron Age Potato Planter is guaranteed to give 10% better value than any planter on the market. We have them. Also a full line of Iron Age Tools which we would be glad to show you.

Hayman's Hardware Department.

We stock in gas engines, Fairbanks & Morse and New Holland. Will be glad to show any prospective customer those in years of service. We defy competition as to quality or price on the above. Hayman's Hardware Dept.

SEEDS—Field and Garden—We have a full stock at right prices. Our line of Homes' garden seeds have no superior, as has been proven by past results. Don't overlook us, can save you money. Hayman's Hardware Dept.

CAPT. S. W. CROSWELL will place the Schooner J. A. Crosswell on the Manokin River beginning March 15th, to carry freight to and from Princess Anne to Baltimore. Your orders solicited. Address him at 1120 East 20th, Street Baltimore, Md.

PLOWING CONTEST—My challenge for plowing contest having been accepted by C. H. Hayman, we have arranged to meet on the farm of A. B. Fitzgerald on Thursday, April 4th, at 12 noon. Would be glad to have those interested present. E. S. PUSEY.

You may now obtain at a great sacrifice, in light, medium or heavy weight of the latest models Suits to measure, \$13.00, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 formerly \$18.00, \$22.50, \$28.00 and \$35.00. We guarantee to fit and please you. WILSON & BOWLAND, Princess Anne.

Farms wanted at once. If you want to sell your farm list at once with F. B. Allen, at Princess Anne. I represent the E. A. Strout Farm Agency, of New York City. Their advertising talks. My assistance to the buyer and seller is valuable and reliable. See Allen soon if you want to sell.

When you have to select from, the lines of plows, both riding and walkers, manufactured by John Deere Plow Co., South Bend Chilled Plow Co., Syracuse Chilled Plow Co., which are the standards of this country; it must prove of convenience. We have them and prices are right.

Hayman's Hardware Dept. In selecting our line of Implements we are not guided entirely by price. There are cheap Johnnies and faddists in the implement business that the farmer must reckon with. In meeting this problem, ask where such product and their representative will be five years hence. We carry only standard Tools and repairs for everything we sell.

Hayman's Hardware Department.

To Mr. E. S. PUSEY: Dear Sir:—We note your challenge on March 12th for demonstration of gang plows. We accept the same for any day you will suggest. You are aware that the gang plow doesn't justify many of our farmers, and in order to make the demonstration interesting we will, on this occasion, demonstrate our full line of plows and invite you to participate in the same with your full line. Respectfully, C. H. HAYMAN.

The date on the label of your paper shows the time to which your subscription is paid. Please look at it.

—Mrs. Isadora Fisher and her daughter, Miss Emily, and two grandchildren of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Chas. T. Fisher.

### Local and Miscellaneous

—Farmers are beginning to get busy.

—A million-dollar wedding does not always mean a happy married life.

—Many a lover is like a broken clock; though wound up he doesn't go.

—The man who tries to earn an honest living meets with very little competition.

—Miss Eleanor H. Brattan entered the Shoreland Club last Thursday afternoon at her home on Main street.

—The toothsome shad made its appearance in our markets last Tuesday, and found a ready sale at \$1.00 each.

—Misses Mary Streets, Mary Mayer and Margaret Fithian, of Bridgeton, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Luther A. Oates.

—Mr. James A. Noble, of New York, spent several days last week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Noble, at Monie.

—Brides are wanted in western Washington state. Here is where the supply of leap year can connect nicely with the demand.

—The ladies of Salem Methodist Protestant Church will hold a Supper and Festival in the hall at Fairmount, on Thursday night, March 28th. Proceeds for benefit of the church.

—Wheat fields have begun to sprout and farmers are predicting a large crop. The ground being almost continuously covered with snow during the entire winter, has held the seeds in place and caused them to sprout sooner than usual.

—Mr. H. H. Richardson, next door to the Washington Hotel, has had his ice cream parlor enlarged and newly papered and also has in connection with soft drinks and confectioneries a nice line of candy for the Easter trade. See his advertisement elsewhere.

—Lenten services at St. Andrew's Church as follows: Week days (Saturdays excepted) at 5 o'clock; Sundays, Holy Communion at 7:30 o'clock in the morning and preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m., excepting the first Sunday in the month when the services (Lenten and Holy Communion) are at 11 o'clock a. m.

—Two new automobiles were seen on our streets last week, one was a handsome Buick touring car just purchased by former Congressman Joshua W. Miles and the other was a Ford roadster, a recent purchase of Dr. Chas. T. Fishers. State's Attorney Gordon Tull, we understand, has also ordered a touring car of the Overland make.

—Mr. J. T. Crawford last week sold his farm located at the head of Wicomico Creek to Mr. S. T. Davis, of Oregon, for the sum of \$4000, also his personal property for the sum of \$1000, possession to be given immediately. The farm contains 207 acres, one half of it being in cultivation. The sale was effected by Mr. Frank Lano, of Princess Anne.

—The attention of farmers is called to the fact that germination test of seed corn recently made on the peninsula shows that much of the corn will not germinate because of the severe freeze to which it was subjected late in January. Experts say the farmers should thoroughly test out their corn this spring if they would obtain a fair stand.

—Among the cases that came before the Circuit Court for Wicomico county last week was that of Wm. A. Sterling vs. The Marine Bank of Crisfield, removed from the Circuit Court for Somerset County. The case was discontinued and judgment for defendant's costs entered. Thomas S. Hodson and Toadvin & Bell represented the plaintiff and Miles & Myers, the defendant.

—Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, near Crisfield, last Wednesday night, protested against the Bishop's sending the Rev. Mr. Dashiell to succeed Rev. T. A. H. O'Brien. There is nothing against Mr. Dashiell, but they asked for Rev. E. H. Wright, of Red Rock. The church, it is said, does not belong to the conference. It pays \$1,400 a year, and some members say they will lock it against all except Mr. Wright.

—Mr. James M. Milbourne, one of the most prominent citizens of Brinkleys district died at his home at Shelltown last Wednesday, aged 84 years. He is survived by a widow, who was Miss Harriet Dashiell, of Quantico, and three daughters, Mrs. E. H. Smith and Mrs. John C. Cluff, of this county, and Mrs. Milton L. Tull, of Annapolis. The funeral was held on Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Rehoboth Baptist Church, and interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

—The fourth baseball team for Charlotte Hall School, St. Mary's county, Md., wishes to announce the team which they organized hereafter called the "Charlotte Hall Orioles." The positions are as follows: Cadet F. C. Coad, Pitcher, (Manager); Cadet C. F. Brotemarkle, 1st Base, (Captain); Cadet S. B. Schaeffer, Catcher; Cadet W. F. Bell, 3rd Base; Cadet H. A. Hoyt, Short Stop; Cadet G. A. Marti, Second Base; Cadet R. A. Gough, Left Field; Cadet F. W. Dodge, Center Field; Cadet J. S. Reyness, Right Field. Cadet Hoyt is a son of Dr. R. L. Hoyt, of Oriole, this county.

—Most always a man's sympathy does not extend as far as his pocket-book.

—You need something stronger than suspended animation to keep up appearances.

—The laundryman keeps tabs on his customers' shirts, but the bachelor would prefer buttons.

—Thieves, who stole more than 1000 fowls from Cecil county farmers recently, shipped their plunder to outside territory in trunks.

—The Cecil County Commissioners estimate that the damage done to roads and bridges by the recent storm will exceed \$20,000.

### Warning to Potato Growers

The short crop of Irish potatoes in the United States last year has led to the importation of large quantities of European potatoes. Much of the importations are from regions infected with the potato wart disease, a disease much more destructive to the potato than any of our blights or scabs. It converts the tubers into a rough, unsightly mass, and in many parts of Europe it has seriously damaged the potato industry. It has spread over Europe in recent past and has already appeared on this side of the Atlantic in Newfoundland.

Canada has quarantined against regions in Europe and Newfoundland infected with this disease, and because the United States has no law to prevent the introduction of potatoes from infected countries, Canada is now also barring out our potatoes as a necessary means of keeping the disease out of her fields.

Maryland potato growers should take warning not to plant any imported potatoes as they may contain the disease without it being seen. If the disease appears once in our fields, it will be practically impossible to eradicate it.

### Contest For a Judgeship

The fight for the Democratic nomination for Chief Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit to succeed Judge James Alfred Pearce, whose term expires next November, has narrowed down to State's Attorney Albert Constable, Jr., of Cecil county, and Associate Judge William H. Adkins, of Talbot county. The nomination under the new Primary Election law will be made by the direct voting system next month. The circuit is composed of Cecil, Caroline, Talbot, Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

### To Mothers—And Others.

You can use Bucklen's Arnica Salve to cure children of eczema, rashes, tetter, chafing, scaly and crusted humors, as well as their accidental injuries, cuts, burns, bruises, etc., with perfect safety. Nothing else heals so quickly. For boils, ulcers, old, running or fever sores or piles it has no equal. 25 cents at Omar A. Jones' Drug Store.

## H. H. RICHARDSON

CIGARS, TOBACCO, CONFECTIONERIES, ICE CREAM and SODA WATER. Ice Cream Parlor enlarged and newly papered. Ladies' patronage solicited.

Agent for "Belle Mead Sweets"—full line of fresh package goods always on hand. A line of 12c candy which can not be duplicated in the town for less than 20 cents a pound. A fine line of Easter Candies now on hand.

MAIN STREET PRINCESS ANNE, Next door to Washington Hotel.

3% ON SAVINGS

## A College Bank Account

Every farmer should give his boys and girls an educational course at some Agricultural College. It may be the means of keeping them on the farm in your old age, and farm life is the best life this country offers today. Why not start a Savings account with the BANK OF SOMERSET and call it the Educational Fund. Small amounts deposited regularly at 3 per cent. interest will provide the necessary expense money for a college course.

## Bank of Somerset

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00

Princess Anne, Maryland

Advertise In This Paper.

### Goldsborough's First Message

Governor Goldsborough sent to both houses of the Legislature last Tuesday night a special message in which he severely criticised the Hosley election law enacted at the first week of the session and signed by Governor Crothers, declaring his belief that it is unconstitutional and intimating that it may be tested in the courts, asking that a fairer law be substituted for it and that the Corrupt Practices act be strengthened; strongly urging the adoption of the new charter for Baltimore city as finally recommended by the Charter Revision Commission, and urging the Legislature to enact a Presidential primary law.

### Now Is the Time to Spray

Now is the time for all growers to make arrangements for the treating of fruit trees for the San Jose Scale. The best allround remedy is the concentrated lime-sulphur mixture. This wash can be bought or made at home, depending upon the inclination of the grower. Bulletin No. 161 of the Experiment Station, College Park, Md., which can be had for the asking, discusses the manner of making and use of this remedy. All trees should be sprayed before the buds open.

All fruit growers who have neglected orchards near them which are a menace to the vicinity, should notify the officers of the State Horticultural Department, at College Park.

All Osage hedges should be gotten rid of as far as possible, as they serve to spread the scale. If kept, they should also be sprayed.

The Maryland Agricultural College and Experiment Station desires to conduct as many spraying and pruning demonstrations in different parts of the State as means will permit, to show what may be accomplished by up-to-date methods of treatment. Any person or persons who are particularly interested in promoting this work should communicate with Thomas B. Symons, College Park, Md.

### Dr. C. W. PURNELL,

OPTOMETRIST. of Cambridge, will be at O. A. Jones' Drug Store on Monday afternoon, April 8th, 1912. Glasses prescribed and furnished when necessary.

## PICTURES ARTISTICALLY FRAMED HERE

We are prepared to do all kinds of framing in the most up-to-date way.

All kinds of picture framing and matting carried in stock and a speedy job is insured.

All work guaranteed to be satisfactory or will make it right.

"Always glad to serve you."

OMAR A. JONES, DRUGGIST, Princess Anne, Maryland

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# THE NATIONAL GRANGE

Conducted by Charles M. Gardner, Editor of the National Grange, Westfield, Mass.

## MOVEMENT A NATIONAL ONE

Influence is Widespread—Some of the Legislative Measures It Early Demanded Have Been Enacted.

Many people who know that the grange is an organization that covers the whole country, and who understand its social and educational phases and are more or less in touch with its efforts for local community benefit, still do not understand how far-reaching is the work of the grange, in a national sense, as it exerts its influence for the promotion of large policies, directing its efforts for its accomplishment year after year, as a settled grange policy.

Ten years ago, at its annual session, the national grange made a declaration of its legislative policy, in the "platform" given below, and from that declaration the grange support has never varied, in all the years that have followed. Some of the measures demanded have since been accomplished, in part at least, while the demand for their further extension and for the accomplishment of the others continues more insistent than ever, as the grange influence and prestige increases.

It will be noted, in the case of all these measures, that though aimed primarily for the good of agriculture and the benefit of rural life, they nevertheless point the way towards the general good, and are in no sense class legislation or in the slightest degree antagonistic to the general policy of the greatest good to the greatest number. The platform above referred to is as follows:

1. Free delivery of mail in the rural districts, and that the service be placed on the same permanent footing as the delivery of mail in the cities, and that the appropriations be commensurate with the demands and benefits of the service.
2. Provide for postal savings banks.
3. Submit an amendment to the Constitution providing for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.
4. Submit an amendment to the Constitution granting the power to congress to regulate and control all corporations and combinations preventing monopoly, and the use of their corporate power to restrain trade or arbitrarily establish prices.
5. Enlarge the powers and duties of the interstate commerce commission.
6. Regulate the use of shoddy.
7. Enact pure food law.
8. Provide for the extension of the markets of farm products equally with manufactured articles.
9. The enactment of an anti-trust law, clearly defining what acts on the part of any corporation would be detrimental to public welfare.
10. Speedy construction of the Nicaragua canal by the United States.
11. The speedy construction of a ship canal connecting the Mississippi river with the great lakes and the great lakes with the Atlantic ocean.
12. Revising the fees and salaries of all federal officers, and placing them on a basis of similar service in private business.
13. Protect the dairy interests by the passage of stringent legislation.

### Fight for School Laws.

The grange in Massachusetts are making a vigorous fight for improved school laws, to the extent of requiring that towns shall pay the transportation expenses of pupils living in towns where no high school is maintained, who go to another town to attend high school. Under the present Massachusetts law the tuition of such children is paid by the towns but there is no such provision for transportation, which means in many cases, a prohibitive expense, thereby depriving many boys and girls from getting the high school education which they so much need.

The move to include transportation in the same class as tuition was initiated at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts state grange and has met with a hearty response from the granges throughout the state. A bill covering the desired change has been introduced into the present session of the legislature and a strong support for it will be rallied, both in committee hearings and when it comes to vote in the two branches of the legislature.

The grange in Massachusetts has been instrumental in the past in securing many steps in school progress. The compulsory school superintendency law in that state was brought about very largely through grange influence, industrial training and agriculture courses in the public schools here vigorously supported by grange agitation and effort; while much grange influence was also exerted in behalf of longer terms and better-paid teachers in the country schools—two distinct accomplishments of the past few years.

### Offering of Prizes.

The offering of prizes for the most marked improvement of home surroundings is being made a feature of the coming year in many Granges. It is believed that such a competition will arouse beneficial interest and that decided benefit will result, attesting Grange leadership along very practical lines.

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If any one is timid about dealing with a broker he can always deal through his bank or get a reference to some broker from his banker.—Jasper, in Leslie's.

## SALT AND ICE.

The Process That Begins When the Two Are Mixed.

It is not correct to say that salt dissolves ice, since real solution only takes place when a solid, liquid or gas is dissolved in a liquid.

The true explanation of the fact that ice melts when common salt is added to it depends upon the simple physical principle that when a salt is dissolved in water heat is absorbed and its temperature is lowered. When salt and ice are mixed together some of the salt dissolves in the small amount of water which is always present, the temperature is thereby lowered, and a new freezing point is established.

The remainder of the ice, being at a temperature higher than this new freezing point, slowly melts, and more salt is dissolved until the solution is saturated. The temperature can in this way be lowered to 22 degrees C., which is the freezing point of a definite compound of salt and water.

The salts dissolved in sea waters serve a very important purpose, as it requires a greater degree of cold to cause the formation of ice on them than on fresh water.

### Bonaparte and Mile. Montanier.

The Cafe Corazza, in the Palais Royal, had many interesting clients in its time. It was there that General Bonaparte, then only a general of brigade, asked his friend Barras to find him a rich wife, and Barras suggested Mile. Montanier, the proprietress of the adjacent Theatre Montanier. She was sixty-three, but she was well preserved and might have passed for forty-five, and she was believed to have accumulated a fortune of \$48,000. Bonaparte asked to be introduced, and Barras presented him and assures us in his memoirs that the match would have come off if it had not been for the events of Vendemiaire. After that memorable day of the "whiff of grape-shot" the future emperor broke off the engagement, feeling himself too important to marry a superannuated actress, even for the sake of having the spending of her savings.—Fall Mail Gazette.

### Example Better Than Precept.

John Wesley, accompanied by one of his preachers, was once dining at the house of a rich Methodist. The tables were spread with a liberal meal, but Wesley's companion no sooner saw it than he said:

"Oh, sir, what a sumptuous dinner! Things are very different from what they once were. I fear there is but little self denial among Methodists in these days."

"My brother," said Wesley, pointing to the table, "there is a fine opportunity for self denial now."

The hint was not taken, but the rebuke did its work.

### Alike, but Different.

The teacher had the letters c-a-t on the blackboard and was trying to teach little Pansy Peavish to pronounce the word, but Pansy couldn't come it. "Think," said the teacher. "What is it that has some whiskers and comes up on the porch late at night when it is cold and begs to come into the house?" "Oh, I know!" exclaimed little Pansy, a great light dawning. "It's papa!"—Galveston News.

### The Trial Heat.

Ethel (engaged a week)—George and I have never had a quarrel. Maud—Oh, I think you ought to have one before you are married. Otherwise you can't be quite sure whether you are going to have your own way or not!

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# Home Town Helps

## STRONG PLEA FOR PARKWAY

Los Angeles Newspaper Condemns a Proposed Plan as Not in Interests of Economy.

W. H. Humphreys of the Los Angeles board of public works has gone on record as favoring narrower driveways in strictly residential districts, and would lessen the street width and widen the parkways of many now existent. This from a purely economic view of the matter, says the Examiner of that city. Narrow streets cost less to build and less to maintain than wide ones and when there are to be, or are paved such initial cost and upkeep is no small expense.

But there is another side to the question, the esthetic view of the matter. How may we have beautiful streets with but a narrow green ribbon along each side from 18 to 26 inches wide? Such a paucity of parkway does not in the least influence the appearance of the street. All that may be said for it is that street trees may be planted therein, though they cannot remain in vigorous health and beauty except for their youthful years. It may be possible for a tree to survive for many years under such hard conditions, but what about them in 50 or 75 years, at the time when they should be most impressive. The trunks will then have filled any ordinary parkway from curb to curb. Shall we then cut them out or shall we cut a large half-circle out of the cement sidewalk and also narrow the driveway three or more feet on each side by moving each curb toward the middle of the street? Would it not be better to start right and have fine vigorous, healthy trees for all time and rest assured of their enduring centuries, to the continued beautification of our city? When shall we correct admittedly wrong conditions? Do it now.

## MAKING A CITY BEAUTIFUL

Plenty of Trees Not the Only Essential to Good Effects—Straight Streets Wrong.

"When art will make our streets as beautiful as the woods and as elevating as the mountainsides, then it will be a pleasure and a rest, and not a weight upon the spirit to come from the open country into the city." So sang a great writer and a great observer. Though this means, primarily, the carrying out of the writer's hobby—fully planted streets—there is much more to be done before we have beautiful streets.

Straight streets in residence districts, especially among the hills, are largely wrong, though if many were contour lines we might easily endure a few straight ones. In following a straight street we are impressed with its monotony except it be well planted and flanked with fine gardens. On streets of series of graceful curves the scene is ever-changing, and we view both street and garden scenery from every possible angle, thereby getting all variations obtainable. It almost constitutes a crime to cut canyons through hills, for it will ever be a source of regret to those of good taste, clear down to the end of time.

Nevertheless, we are progressing in this respect, for many large subdivisions of late have been laid out in conformity to the contour of the hills. This means, usually, that landscape engineers, rather than civil engineers only, are planning this new work. Wider parkways are also prevailing, still another assurance that the landscape gardener and horticulturist is not without influence, even in cold-blooded business deals.

### European Model Villages.

The plan of "garden cities" has been taken up with great enthusiasm in France and in many industrial centers efforts have been made to follow the English example of establishing model villages for work people. A big coal mining company near Douai has laid out a splendid garden village and now is rendering more beautiful the approaches to the mines, masking the unsightly shafts and engine houses with rose gardens.

### Women Travelers Expect Much.

But for an interesting, discriminating and all-round exacting proposition the lady patron is doubtless the winner. She must always have a parlor room, with bath, fronting the street; plenty of closet room. The room must be large enough to accommodate a couple of box-cars she calls trunks. She will use three times as many towels as a man; keep the bell-hops in perpetual motion to answer her calls, and make more complaints about the temperature of her room in one day than a man would in a month.—Hotel World.

### Mexican Plague of Field Mice.

Manzanillo reports that a plague of mice has visited the fields in that section of Colima and almost destroyed the corn and rice crops. The rodents have gnawed away at a rate that alarmed the farmers and they have appealed to the authorities for some means to exterminate them. Whole fields of corn have been moved down and the farmers are at a loss how to check the advance of the mice to prevent further loss.

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Fifth Day of June, 1912

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 28th day of November, 1911.

ALICE P. McDANIEL, Adm'trix of George W. McDaniel, dec'd.

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South-Bound Trains.				
	49	87	45	41
Leave	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
New York.....	6:00	12:38	3:38	8:00
(New Station)				
Philadelphia.....	11:17	5:35	3:00	5:57
Wilmington.....	12:02am	6:47	3:44	6:53
Baltimore.....	10:00pm	4:10	1:55	4:55
Leave	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Delmar.....	3:00	10:40	7:02	10:15
Salisbury.....	3:10	10:56	7:16	10:27
Princess Anne 8:28	11:24	7:45	10:55	2:09
Cape Charles 6:15	4:30	10:40	....	4:30
Old Point.....	8:00	6:20	....	6:20
Norfolk (ar.).....	9:05	7:25	....	7:25

North-Bound Trains.				
	44	48	50	80
Leave	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Norfolk.....	8:00	6:15	....	8:00
Old Point.....	11:05	9:30	6:00	11:25
Cape Charles.....	11:05	9:30	6:00	11:25
Princess Anne 7:02	1:10	11:59	9:10	2:50
Salisbury.....	7:34	1:35	12:55am	3:12
Delmar.....	8:01	2:00	1:54	3:59
Arrive	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Wilmington.....	11:22	4:35	4:05	....
Philadelphia 12:08pm	5:22	5:00	....	8:26
Baltimore.....	12:40	7:03	6:01	....
New York.....	2:48	8:05	7:32	....
(New Station)				

Crisfield Branch—Southward.				
Leave	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
King's Creek.....	7:25	2:40	....	7:50
Arrive Crisfield.....	8:12	3:20	....	8:40

Crisfield Branch—Northward.				
Leave	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Crisfield.....	6:00	12:05	....	6:00
Ar King's Creek.....	6:45	12:55	....	6:55

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EAST BOUND.				
	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lv. Baltimore.....	8:00	4:10	....	....
Salisbury.....	8:45	9:55	10:46	....
Ar. Ocean City.....	9:45	11:00	11:57	....

WEST BOUND.				
	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lv. Ocean City.....	6:30	7:15	....	....
Salisbury.....	7:00	7:55	....	....
Ar. Baltimore.....	1:20	....	....	....

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Twenty-third Day of July, 1912,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 16th day of January, 1912.

ADDIE F. DRYDEN and BENJAMIN K. GREEN, Adm'rs of Isaac P. Dryden, deceased.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 26th, 1912,

at the hour of 1:30 o'clock p. m., at the Court House door in Princess Anne, Maryland, I will sell at public auction for cash, all the lots or parcels of land hereinafter severally mentioned and described, to pay and satisfy the State and County Taxes levied against the said hereinafter described lots or parcels of land for the year 1910, and due from the several persons to whom the same are assessed, which said taxes are now due and in arrears for said year, together with the interest and costs thereon and costs of sale.

No. 1—All that lot of land in Dublin district, Somerset county, Maryland, containing 65 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the land of Edward T. Hope, the same being a part of the Frank Bonville and Wm. W. C. Cready and assessed to said McCready for said year.

No. 2—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 10 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate near Green Hill, on a private road leading to the county road, adjoining the land owned or formerly owned by Avery Taylor and assessed to John Braxton's heirs for said year.

No. 3—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 52 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road from Pocomoke to Princess Anne and at the intersection of the said road with a woods road now owned by W. G. Hoerr and assessed to A. F. Lively for said year.

No. 4—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 19 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Old Dublin to Scott's store, adjoining the land of John Sandie, and assessed to Zadoc W. Ross for said year.

No. 5—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 12 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Dividing Creek and at said Creek Bridge and assessed to Dennis Mitchell for said year.

No. 7—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the new county road, adjoining the lands of T. O. Long and Polly Smith and assessed to Maria Collins for said year.

No. 8—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on Bowland's Road, near Tinley Chapel, adjoining the lands of James Perkins and Whittington Folk and assessed to Caleb Dashiell for said year.

No. 9—All that lot of land in Dublin district, said county and state, containing 5 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, known as the Scott Mill Lot, adjoining the land of A. A. Riley and assessed to the Valley Realty Company for said year.

No. 10—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 9 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Moses Harris, Frank Harrington and Claude Bounds and assessed to Edward Bailey for said year.

No. 11—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 6 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading from Princess Anne to Van Buren's Corner, adjoining the lands of Joseph Whitney and Sorin Barbon and assessed to Frank Barbon for said year.

No. 12—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, adjoining the lands of Levenia Harrington and Mary E. Horner and assessed to Ida K. Davis for said year.

No. 13—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 3 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road leading from White Haven to Wicomico Creek, adjoining the lands of George Lloyd and Chas. Jones and assessed to John W. Jones for said year.

No. 14—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Furness store to White Haven and assessed to Samuel Jefferson for said year.

No. 16—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1/2 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate at the intersection of the road to Princess Anne and a private road, adjoining the land of Straught Pritchett and assessed to Robert P. Pritchett for said year.

No. 17—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road from Holland & Barbon's store to Harris' Landing, whereon John L. and Olivia Vetter formerly resided and assessed to Roger and Dora C. McIntyre for said year.

No. 19—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the road leading to the land of Daniel W. Webster and Sarah Kirwan and assessed to Ruth Whitlock for said year.

No. 20—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the McIntyre Road, adjoining the lands of A. R. Jackson and Mrs. H. J. E. Bounds and assessed to John Windler for said year.

No. 21—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road leading from Moses Harris, adjoining the lands of J. W. Jones and David Wilson and assessed to Thomas Windler for said year.

No. 23—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, adjoining the Barbon Land, conveyed to Orlando Furness by Page Jackson and assessed to said Furness for said year.

No. 24—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 acre, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road leading by the store of I. J. Holland, adjoining the land of I. J. Holland and assessed to Robert Jones for said year.

No. 25—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 10 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Wicomico river, adjoining the lands John P. Mason and John Whitlock and assessed to Jesse M. Williams for said year.

No. 26—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on a private road leading to the land of John Jones, adjoining the lands of Elijah Jones and Mary Kirwan and assessed to Louisa Walter and M. S. Webster for said year.

No. 27—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Bengal road, adjoining the Barbon Land and assessed to Joseph Cottman for said year.

No. 28—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 3 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the Wicomico river, adjoining the lands of James L. Wilson, Jane Murrell and Wm. Renshaw and assessed to Joseph Jones' heirs for said year.

No. 30—All that lot of land in Mt. Vernon district, said county and state, containing 17 1/2 acres, more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate on the county road, adjoining the property of

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W. Jones for said

No. 31—All that

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Waters for said year.

No. 34—All that

district, said county

acres, more or less,

thereon, situate on

the lands of Joseph

Hitch and assessed

for said year.

ROBERT MADDOX,  
Treasurer for Somerset County.

## HERE AT HOME.

Princess Anne Citizens Gladly Testify and Confidently Recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

It is testimony like the following that has placed Doan's Kidney Pills so far above competitors. When people right here at home raise their voice in praise there is no room left for doubt. Read the public statement of a Princess Anne citizen:

Francis T. Brown, Main St., Princess Anne, Md., says: "I have the same high words of praise today as I did in 1907 when I publicly testified of the great good Doan's Kidney Pills brought me. You may continue the publication of my former statement. For five or six years I suffered from a severe ache across the small of my back and this was accompanied by soreness. I had rheumatic twinges and as my kidneys grew weaker the kidney secretions became too frequent in passage. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills, I decided to try them. I procured a box and they did me a world of good."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## Work of the Bower Birds.

There are five different bower birds—three in Australia, the regent, the satin and the spotted; one in the Papuan lands, the catbird, and one in New Guinea. Their brilliant plumage is golden yellow, glossy black or spotted brown, often with a rose tinted collar. Their bowers are in no sense nests, but miniature gardens, adapted for enjoyment and courtship and set in the eye of the sun. A pavement of equal sized pebbles is arranged, and numberless twigs are thrust firmly between them in two parallel rows, inclined to each other, inclosing an avenue about a yard long and several inches wide. To decorate this arbor gay feathers, ruddy berries, pearly shells, bleached bones, even watches, knives and other glittering objects are tastefully placed in and around the entrance. The New Guinea bird, still more of a gardener, constructs a miniature conical summer house, with internal gallery. Before this is a meadow of moss, kept free from grass, dust and leaves, on which bright flowers and fruit are daily offered by the enamored male bird to his mate.

## Elephants Asleep.

A question often raised in regard to the African elephant is whether this animal ever rests or not. At first blush it would appear that there could only be one answer to the question. So huge an animal must expend a terrible amount of energy and therefore, as one might reasonably infer, must need more time than smaller animals for rest and rejuvenation. Nevertheless many travelers and some naturalists have asserted that the African elephant in its native state never sleeps or at least never lies down. A correspondent who has sent photographs from Malek, on the White Nile, says in the communication that accompanies them that the picture represents a "herd of female elephants photographed in the bush near Malek, in the Mogalia province of the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan. It has been maintained that the African elephant never lies down to rest. Several may be seen thus sleeping."

## Country Life.

A well known after dinner speaker of New York was going home from a banquet on a surface car. At his corner he signalled the conductor to stop; but, as he swung off the platform, the car started up again, and he plowed the asphalt for ten feet with his face and figure. He struggled to his feet to see the car fading away and a large, tired looking policeman contemplating him from the sidewalk.

"Did you see that?" demanded the victim as he limped toward the pavement.

"I did," said the policeman, "and it was your own fault."

"I didn't ask you whose fault it was," snapped back the after dinner speaker. "I asked you—Did you see it?"

"I did not!" said the policeman—Saturday Evening Post.

## Cromwell's Spurs.

It is generally acknowledged that the most brilliant light cavalry officer Great Britain has ever produced was Oliver Cromwell. It is therefore peculiarly unfortunate, but it is nevertheless a fact, that on the statue of the Protector which stands outside Westminster hall the spurs are represented as attached to the boots and down. Further, the left spur is on the right foot, and the right is on the left while it is insisted by the best experts that the spurs are not of the period.

## HER SNOW MAN

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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"I simply can't stay indoors," declared Alicia with her straight little nose pressed against the window pane. "It's too tempting out there!"

It was an alluring world outside the dignified walls of the Preble mansion. The heavily crusted snow sparkled like a carpet of brilliant beneath the silver magic of the full moon. Inside the Preble grounds the dark tree trunks made black splashes against the brightness, but beyond the iron fence there stretched a rolling field of scintillating whiteness. There had been a heavy snow fall followed by a hard freeze. All day long the school children had been coasting on the hill next door to the Preble place. Alicia's aunt, Miss Harriet Preble, had expressed pleasure when she heard that the hill would be deserted that night—Emma, the cook, had announced that the whole town were to participate in an ice carnival on Barker's mill pond.

"I'm very glad indeed," said Miss Harriet severely. "I know I could not sleep with that continual roar of descending sleds rushing past my windows."

"I'm rather sorry," admitted Alicia timidly; "it was such fun to watch them."

"My dear Alicia, I am surprised you could find amusement in anything so juvenile as coasting. It is such a masculine sport that I never was permitted to indulge in it."

A dimple came into Alicia's demure cheek. A vision of stiff-necked Aunt Harriet coasting down Preble hill all bound overcame her awe of the steel-bound maiden lady who had been her guardian since her orphaned childhood.

"What are you smiling at, Alicia?" asked Miss Preble sharply.

"I was wondering if any of the Prebles had ever coasted down that hill," replied Alicia, her dancing eyes fixed on her plate.

"Of course your father did when he was a lad—his sled is up in the garret now. It was considered a very fast one—your grandfather bought it in New York." Miss Preble's face softened wonderfully and then stiffened as she saw the eager interested look in her niece's eyes. "That was all very well for boys, but I consider it exceedingly improper for females to indulge in such sport—and very wrong to encourage it as you did this afternoon by waving your handkerchief whenever those girls led in the races down the hill. I am going to bed at once, Alicia as I have a severe headache—you no you can do nothing for me, thank you. Be sure to go to bed at ten o'clock."

"Good night, Aunt Harriet—I wish I could do something to help your poor head," said Alicia as she returned the cold pecking kiss of her only relative with a pressure of warm young lips.

Miss Preble had retired to her room, and if she had been any one but a Preble of Little River one might have said that she snored.

Alicia was standing there by the library window looking out into that world of white magic. The house was very still—the servants had obtained leave to go to the ice carnival and Alicia was practically alone.

"I simply can't stay indoors!" declared Alicia once more, and with that declaration all the old-fashioned rules which had cramped her up-bringing were irrevocably shattered. A hither to unknown boldness took possession of her.

She flew up the thickly carpeted stairs, through the hall past Aunt Harriet's closed door and gained the attic stairway. She shivered as a little icy blast came down from the cold space under the roof.

Up in the attic it was almost as light as day. The dormer windows admitted the moonlight in floods that left only the corners unilluminated. She knew in which corner were the playthings that her father had owned when a boy. She had seen the sled once years ago, but that was before this new spirit of youth had taken hold of her.

In a few seconds she had it in her eager hands and was carrying it down the steep stairs. It was a heavy sled, brightly painted and bearing the name "Clipper" in gold letters on the top.

Presently Alicia stood out in the front path with the little sled dragging behind her. She had slipped into a long warm coat and had drawn a knitted cap over her bright hair and red mittens on her little hands. A pair of furlined boots completed the costume she had donned for this, daring expedition into the snowy world.

Alicia Preble was to break all precedent in the Preble family. She was the first female of the family to indulge in the masculine pastime of coasting down hill.

She gained the snow field next door and found a promising hill that sloped away from the Preble mansion. For an instant she poised on the top of the hill, gazing out over the bare white fields below; marveling at the stillness of the place. Then she sat down with her feet braced against the little iron bar, tucked in her skirts well and flew down the icy hill.

It was a breathless period of exquisite flight through the frosty air. The walk to the top of the hill was nothing.

Again and again Alicia sped on her solitary trip to the bottom of the hill. She knew that she ought to return to the house before Aunt Harriet should

wake and call for her. But she was intoxicated with this new sport, and was loth to give it up.

At last she started up the hill after another breathless slide when she stopped short.

Half way up the slope there stood a white figure. It was a few yards to the left of the icy track and she had not noticed it before.

"How strange I did not see that snow man," thought Alicia as she neared it. "I wonder if I could hit it with a snowball?"

Alicia could and did hit the white figure squarely in the head with a large, icy ball.

To her surprise and horror the figure moved, and came towards her, uttering a startled exclamation.

"Oh!" cried Alicia, terrified by the situation. "What is it? What have I done?"

"Not very much harm," laughed a pleasant masculine voice. "Allow me to congratulate you on your excellent aim and the power of your right arm!"

"I don't understand—I thought you were a snow man, really, I did! I am so sorry," apologized Alicia as the snow man paused before her and she could realize that he was real flesh and blood, clad in handsome furs of Arctic whiteness from head to foot.

"Pray do not have the slightest anxiety on my account. Really, I suppose I do deserve chastisement for my curiosity in watching your exuberant joyousness in coasting down hill all alone. As a matter of fact I have just returned to Little River after five years spent in Africa, and this is the first snow I've seen in all that time. I simply couldn't stay indoors and so I hunted out an old sled I had when a boy and I've been coasting all alone until you came out. Then I stood over there by the edge of the wood and watched you. Say, you were having the time of your life!" He spoke with boyish enthusiasm.

"I've never coasted before," admitted Alicia, her well-trained discretion quite banished by his frankness. "We've always spent the winters in town, but Aunt Harriet's rheumatism has—"

"Aunt Harriet Preble?" interrupted the snow man eagerly.

"Yes," said Alicia. "Do you know her?"

"Yes, indeed. I'm Dick Maynard from the house next door to the Preble place. Are you the little girl who used to play with dolls under the trees and run like a scared rabbit when Aunt Harriet called you?" There was a tinge of amused tenderness in his tone for any little girl who had suffered Miss Preble's up-bringing.

"I'm Alicia Preble," said she, ignoring his remarks about her aunt. Then she proceeded to tell him all about her escapade of this evening and how scandalized her Aunt Harriet would be if she only knew—and she might discover her absence any moment.

"Might as well be killed for a sheep as a lamb, then," remarked Dick Maynard. "It's only 9:30 now. Won't you come and slide down hill with me once or twice? You may never have another chance in your life."

"I believe I will," agreed Alicia recklessly.

Ten times they flew down the glistening slope, laughing and chattering like children.

Then Alicia took her sled and went home alone, while Dick Maynard watched her with delighted eyes. "If the old lady scolds her for this I'll—elope with the darling!" he muttered.

But Aunt Harriet didn't scold. She didn't know anything about the escapade, though she wondered at the new look of happiness in Alicia's eyes. "I'm afraid she's been reading exciting books," worried Miss Harriet.

Alicia was wonderfully happy because Dick Maynard was coming to call upon Miss Harriet Preble that afternoon. It is a matter of history that Alicia did not coast again until after she and Dick were married.

## PHILOSOPHY OF THE KAISER

German Emperor's Deep and Sincere Religious Convictions Are Shown in This Scroll.

In the workshop of Kaiser Wilhelm hangs a scroll on which is set forth the philosophy of the emperor. A translation of the scroll from German into English reads:

"To be strong in sorrow; not wishing for that which is unattainable or worthless; content with each day as it comes; seeking for the good in everything and enjoying nature and mankind as it is; finding solace in one happy hour for a thousand bitter ones, and always giving the best that is in one even though no thanks are received. Who learneth that lesson is happy, free and proud, and his life will be a beautiful one. But he who mistrusts only wrongs others and harms himself. It is our duty to consider everyone good until the contrary is proved. The world is so large and we are so small—everything cannot possibly revolve around ourselves. If something injures us or causes us pain, who knows but what it is necessary? The great, wise will of the Almighty and Omnipotent Creator manifests itself in everything, animate or inanimate, in this world; we petty human beings lack only the wisdom to comprehend it. As everything is, so should it be, in this world; and no matter how it is, it is always good in the eyes of the Creator."

Well Defined.

Little Alick—What is an incongruity, uncle? Uncle William—An incongruity, child, is a divorce lawyer humming a wedding march—Satire



## Perryhawkin.

PERRYHAWKIN, MD., March 23d, 1912.  
Mr. J. W. West spent most of this week in Baltimore and Annapolis.

The Literary Society will meet in the school house at Perryhawkin Wednesday evening, March 27th.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan, State Evangelist, will preach at Mt. Olivet Christian Church on Wednesday night and at Perryhawkin on Thursday night, the 28th.

An entertainment which was to have been given by the young people of this place Friday evening of last week, because of rain, was given Saturday evening in the Perryhawkin school house. The program was as follows: Song, "Long Wave Our Flag," drama, "My Wife's Relations," by Misses Lola Marriner, Laura Dryden, Beulah Brittingham, Alma Vera and Mabel Dennis and Messrs. Norman and Harold Dryden, Clayton and Virgil Marriner; recitation, "Alma Dryden," song, "Down on the Brandywine," recitation, "Maud Miller," drama, "Asking Her Father," Misses Lola and Nellie Marriner, Laura Dryden and Messrs. Harold Dryden and Virgil Marriner; song, "Old Black Joe." Quite a handsome sum was realized which will be used to promote education.

## St. Peter's.

ST. PETER'S, MD., March 23rd, 1912.  
Miss Beryl Muir is spending sometime with friends in Baltimore.

Master Lawson Shores, who has been quite sick, is very much improved.

Mr. James Noble, of New York City is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. C. Noble.

Master Marcia and Vaughn Hopkins, who have been ill with Typhoid fever, are improving.

Messrs. Irving and Carol Shores also Tubman McDaniel are on a business trip to Philadelphia.

Misses Hattie and Flossie Lawson are spending a week with their aunt, Mrs. Theodore White, on Deal's Island.

Mrs. R. L. Hoyt returned home Wednesday from a ten days trip at Hurlock where she was visiting Mrs. M. D. Nutter.

Mrs. Keturah Wallace and son, Marshall, returned to Baltimore, last Friday, after spending about two weeks with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Wesley Willing was rushed to Salisbury for an operation for appendicitis. He was reported getting along nicely yesterday.

## Invitation to School Boys

Invitations are out to the school boys of Maryland to attend the annual track and field meet, to be held at the Maryland Agricultural College, College Park, Md., on the 11th of May. The meet last year at the Agricultural College was a great success, and the boys from a number of county schools throughout the State won gold medals in the different events.

Running and jumping represent a good, healthful sort of out-door exercise, and the boys would do well to train for the Agricultural College games, and enter the contests on May 11th.

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded as last year. Any of our school boys who may want a booklet on "How To Train" may secure it free of charge on application. The entry blanks will be mailed to all the county schools. Extra copies and the book on training may be secured free of charge by applying to Professor C. S. Richardson, College Park, Md.

## April Woman's Home Companion

Kathleen Norris, who became famous as the author of "Mother," begins a new serial novel in the April Woman's Home Companion. It is a love story laid in California. Other fiction is contributed by Mary Stewart Cutting, Carolyn Wells, Mary E. Wilkins Freeman and Mary Hastings Bradley.

Among articles of note in the April Companion are the following: An autobiographical chapter by Howard Pyle, the great American artist; an account full of personal details of the life of Germany's present Crown Princess Cecilie, who is twenty-five years old and the mother of four children; "Making the Most of Moving Pictures," an account of the moving-picture business as an educational factor; "Getting Rid of the House Fly," "Good Health a Business Asset," in which the author gives much practical advice, particularly to women who work in business for a living; and an Easter talk by the pastor of the Broadway Tabernacle in New York City.

The regular household, fashion and home decoration departments are filled with new, interesting facts and suggestions. A notable contribution to the fashion department is entitled "A Day in New York With Miss Gould," in which Grace Margaret Gould, the well-known fashion editor of the Companion, takes the reader to see the new fashions at a smart modiste's then to Fifth Avenue, where at an afternoon tea the newest and latest gowns are to be seen, and in the evening to a theater, where more of the latest ideas in this line are exhibited.

## West.

WEST, MD., March 21st, 1912.  
A large flock of white wild geese passed over this place Monday.

Mr. Joseph Bailey and Miss Flora E. Powell, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with the family of Mr. H. L. Ruark.

Miss Marion Ruark had the misfortune to sprain her knee Monday while at school. She is now confined to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cantwell and daughter of, Shad Point, Wicomico county, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Cantwell.

## The First Thimble

There is a tradition that a Dutch silversmith pondered over a certain notion which he had cherished long and silently in the slow-working senses which he deemed his brain—a notion for a trinket, a fallal, for a dignified lady of Holland. It must be a useful trinket, albeit a costly one, meet for so good a sempstress as Dame Alix Van Rensselaer. When the notion took definite shape, the thing was quickly wrought in precious metal by fingers as deft as the brain was slow; and the industrious housewife proudly wore not only her first thimble, but the first thimble possessed by any Dutch frau—"Samplers" by Alice Morse Earle in March Century.

## Pastor Treats to Apples

After delivering a sermon based on the story of the eating of the forbidden fruit, Rev. Frank G. Smith, of Chicago, opened a barrel of apples and a jar of cookies and invited his hearers to partake of the refreshments. "I want you to get acquainted," explained the pastor as the people crowded around the apple barrel.

"Forget that all the evils of the world are due to eating that apple," said the pastor during his sermon. "Every man sees the forbidden fruit at the time when he stands in the presence of right and wrong. The forbidden fruit represents the realization that one must decide for right or wrong. It is then a question whether he is to do less than the best he knows."

## Troubles of the Chinese Republic

The new Republic of China may yet have to fight for its life. Peking is said to be in a panic. There are reports that a powerful army of Manchus and Mongols is marching on the city, resolved to restore the little emperor to the throne. President Yuan has met them thus far with proclamations and appeals to give the republic a chance.

The republican troops are discontented and mutinous because they have not been paid. Some of them are "looting" (robbing). President Yuan meets this with a proclamation declaring that the troops should have pride enough in their country to maintain the army's good name. The troops, however, are said to be mainly mercenaries who entered the army only because it promised them higher wages than they could earn as coolie laborers.

In Nankin, and other parts of China further south than Peking, the republic seems to have the support of all the people.

## Oversea Invasion.

If it takes 35,000 troops almost three weeks to carry out an overseas attack, with no opposition whatever, how long would 200,000 or even 70,000, take in the face of some very dangerous opposition, even if the bulk of the defending fleet is out of the way? Our coastal torpedo flotillas are always on the spot. As far as the events of this (Italian) war afford an indication, we should incur no undue risk if we dispatched our battle fleets in the Cape of Good Hope or Indian ocean, except to our trade routes near home waters.—Contemporary Review.

## Got His Words Mixed.

In the recent cold weather a north side groceryman sent a customer's order of groceries carefully wrapped in a gunny sack to insure it against freezing.

Five-year-old George was in the kitchen with his mother when the groceries arrived, and heard her tell the delivery boy it was kind in them to take the extra precaution of wrapping the gunny sack about the things. A few minutes later little George came running back to the kitchen and inquired, "Oh, mamma, what did you do with that guinea bag?"

## NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Somerset and Worcester Counties will be held at their office in Princess Anne, Maryland, on

WEDNESDAY,  
The 27th Day of March, 1912,  
At 11 o'clock A. M.,

for the purpose of electing twelve Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

HENRY J. WATERS,  
Secretary.

## Princess Anne Markets

Butter.....per lb 30c  
Eggs.....per doz. 20c  
Potatoes—white.....per bus. \$1.40  
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Wheat....." .92  
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## TOWNS THAT MAKE MONEY

San Diegans Expect to Be on Municipal Easy Street Through Exercise of Scientific Forestry.

San Diego, Cal., is said to be the first American city to take up scientific forestry as a municipal enterprise. The city owns 7,000 acres of waste land, a heritage from the time when it was a Mexican pueblo. This tract is now set aside for growing eucalypti, and last spring 40,000 seedlings were planted.

Eucalyptus is very valuable and takes the place of many of the more familiar hardwoods that are becoming so expensive; it grows with truly tropical rapidity; it will stand an enormous amount of cutting and seems to thrive under it, and a grove once well started apparently will last forever.

In San Diego, says the Survey, the more optimistic taxpayers are looking forward to a time when the forest will relieve them of all taxes and perhaps even pay them for being citizens of San Diego! They are not the only people in an American city to be congratulated on doing good municipal business.

July 6, 1911, the Detroit house of correction passed its fiftieth milestone. During the last 32 years over \$1,000,000 in profits were turned over to the city of Detroit to the families of prisoners and to the prisoners themselves. Since 1880 the city of Detroit has annually received sums ranging from \$9,016.83 to \$52,711.64.

The original expenditure by the city of \$189,841.36 has been turned back into the treasury of the municipality, the institution has paid its own way and in the 50 years show a fine balance of \$1,264,178.15. In addition to this showing, the prisoners since July, 1901, have been receiving financial benefits ranging from \$5,958.14 to \$9,670.38 annually.

In addition to amounts paid the prisoners, some of which are sent by the men to their families, provision is also made for the families of those who are imprisoned on the charge of abandonment. This is accomplished under a statute which provides that \$1.50 a week for the wife and an additional 50 cents for each child under 15 years of age be paid them out of the funds of the institution.

## GOOD LESSON FROM GERMANY

These Municipalities Exercise Mild Form of Despotism Over the Owners of Property.

A common exercise of the individual fancy is to decide with a wealth of detail what one would do if one had, say, \$10,000,000, declares the New York Tribune. The movement for "cities beautiful" which the public hears of every now and then resembles this pastime. When Chicago, Pittsburgh, Boston, or whatever city it may be, considers becoming Chicago Beautiful or Pittsburgh Beautiful or Boston Beautiful it is making up its mind what it would do if it had \$100,000,000. There is even a profession of telling cities what they might do if they had \$100,000,000, and the experts are kept fairly busy about it. The Tribune hopes that Brooklyn, the latest to consult one of these experts, will have millions enough to make her as beautiful as she wishes to become. This consulting about what might be done to make American cities more presentable is a good sign in itself. The public is not so content as formerly to trust their development to haphazard. Its result has been bad in respect of beauty, of health and even of business economy. But in determining their own future development American cities are sadly behind those of Europe, where, especially in Germany, municipalities exercise a sort of benevolent despotism over the uses to which the individual property owner may put his property.

—Rev. Thomas Kerr, of Pennsylvania, has accepted a call to Buckingham Presbyterian Church, at Berlin, Md.

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## Five Men Killed By

## A Passenger Train

Five men in a survey were killed outright by a passenger train on the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railroad at a crossing near Ellettsville, Ind., last Tuesday. They had spent Monday evening at a theater at Bloomington and were driving to Spencer, where they were employed as glass-blowers. They were Martin Worden, Louisville, Ky., Emmet Williams, Kansas City, Mo., Art Farmer, Summitville, Ind., Hal Brown, Spencer, Ind., and Jesse Rogers, Spencer, Ind.

The engine struck the survey squarely and splintered it. Four of the men were thrown clear of the track, but the body of Worden was caught by the pilot of the locomotive and carried a mile and a half to Ellettsville. Trainmen went back to the crossing and found the torn bodies of Worden's companions. The two horses hitched to the survey were not hurt.

## Syd Mudd, Jr., for Congress

Sydney E. Mudd, Jr., of Washington and La Plata, Md., has formerly announced himself a candidate for Congress from the Fifth Maryland district and at the same time precipitated what will develop into one of the bitterest primary contests in the State.

Mr. Mudd is the son of the late Congressman by the same name and was until Monday of last week Assistant United States Attorney for the District of Columbia. He sent in his resignation to the President that day and announced that he would begin organizing the district in the interest of his candidacy.

The young lawyer will go into this fight against Congressman Thomas Farran, the only Republican of the Maryland delegation. He will find the Republican organization in the district against him. He says that he understands this fully, but that he expects to win in spite of the fact.

## Illiteracy on the Decrease

A preliminary census statement issued by Director Durand, of Washington, D. C., shows that in 1910 there were 5,517,608 illiterates among the 71,580,270 persons 10 years of age or over in the United States.

This was a reduction of from 10.7 per cent. to 7.7 per cent. since 1900.

The native-born whites, constituting 76 per cent. of the entire population, had only 3 per cent. of the illiterates; foreign-born whites had 12.8 per cent., and colored persons 30.5 per cent. The per centage of illiterates among native-born whites 10 years ago was 4.6; the colored percentage was 44.5 and that of the foreign-born whites was 12.9, or a slight increase over the percentage of 1900.

## Nineteen Miles a Second

without a jar, shock or disturbance, is the awful speed of our earth through space. We wonder at such ease of nature's movement, and so do those who take Dr. King's New Life Pills. No gripping, no distress, just thorough work that brings good health and fine feelings. 25 cents at Omar A. Jones' Drug Store.

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For the Whole Family!  
Eighteen hundred feet of floor space devoted solely to the sale and display of shoes makes this the largest Exclusive Shoe Store in Somerset county, and every inch of this space is taken up by the NEW SPRING STYLES.

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Over thirty styles of oxfords alone, and they come from the best makes of men's shoes in America—"King Quality" at \$4; "Beacon" at \$3 and \$3.50; Endicott-Johnson's shoes in all leathers at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. There are Tans, Gun-Metals, Patents and Kid leathers represented in one shoe or another and there are all sizes.

## For Women

The variety is unusually large, especially in the famous "Queen Quality" and "Boston Favorite" oxfords which comprise every wanted leather in the very newest shapes.

All "Queen Quality" and "Boston Favorites" have the new "Wonder Worker" sole which makes them as flexible as whale bone and as comfortable as a stocking—the prices go from \$3.50 down to \$2.00.

There are other women's shoes and oxfords for as little as \$1.25—All Leather of course. White Shoes and Pumps.

## For Children

You will find a generous assortment from such dependable makers as Hamilton, Brown and Rice & Hutchins. There are Pumps, Ties and High Shoes in black and tan leathers with very attractive prices marked on them.

## White Pumps

"Good Shoes Have Made Our Business Grow"

MORRIS' SPECIAL \$10.00 SUITS

You will note that we say "Special" and they are special suit values in every sense of the word.

In fact we never sold a better suit at \$12 than these at \$10.00. The truth is that we believe this to be the one best way for us to get acquainted with the many good things we have for men and boys in our Clothing Store this Spring.

Every new shade, along with staple blues and blacks, makes it easy to please—whether you desire gray, brown or some other color combination.

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The Morris Stores We give  
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AT PRIVATE SALE

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10.30 A. M. We sell 95 per cent. of the horses, carriages, wagons, harness, etc. sold by private parties at public auction in Baltimore City, because of our 100 per cent. service, honest representation and we

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¶ Baby Caps in all sizes and prices.

¶ A complete and up-to-date stock of Veilings, Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers and Novelties.

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On account of pressing business we are offering for sale, or exchange for other stock, the best bred and hand-somest young stallion in Maryland. This is a rare chance to get a real high class horse. He will pay for himself this season. For tabulated pedigree and price apply to

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2-20

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Reasons Why" incurable and how to overcome it, mailed free on receipt. Address, B. F. CLARKE, 26 Liberty St., New York.

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Sprayers of all description and spraying materials at Hayman's. Don't neglect your trees.

LOST—1 Automobile Top Cover in Princess Anne or on Stone Road. Reward if returned to this office.

FOR SALE—One Cow, will soon be fresh, and a Sidney Prince Colt, 1 year old. Geo. L. Powell, Rehoboth, Md.

Farming Implements of all kinds—Machinery and repairs for same—Wire Fencing. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne.

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Oliver Chilled Plows—Sulkey Plows; Oliver Chilled Gang Plows and Planet Junior Cultivator. E. S. Pusey, Princess Anne, Md.

ANY place in town, by the Somerset taxi services, only 15 cents; night, 25 cents; waiting time, 30 cents per hour. Local Phone 80.

FOR SALE—Klondike, Climax, Missionary and Gandy Strawberry Plants at \$1.00 per thousand. Alton E. Dryden, Princess Anne, Route 1.

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E. F. MILLIGAN.

FOR SALE—Missionary and Gandy Strawberry Plants, Asparagus Roots, and one young Horse, 4 years old. CHARLES H. SPEIGHTS, Westover, Md.

FOR SALE—Pair of Mules, will weigh about 1100 lbs. each, ages 10 and 12 years, and three "Good Friday" colts, one and two years old. JOHN A. POPE, Route 3, Princess Anne, Md.

Persons desiring to buy farm land in Somerset county will find it to their interest to consult the undersigned who has for sale some good farms that can be bought cheap. LEVIN H. HALL, Surveyor of Somerset County.

Standard Farming Implements of every description, including all necessary repairs for same—call and see us. Splendid display of single-trees of finest white oak. E. S. Pusey.

The Iron Age Potato Planter is guaranteed to give 10% better value than any planter on the market. We have them. Also a full line of Iron Age Tools which we would be glad to show you.

Hayman's Hardware Department. We stock in gas engines, Fairbanks & Morse and New Holland. Will be glad to show any prospective customer those in years of service. We defy competition as to quality or price on the above. Hayman's Hardware Dept.

SEEDS—Field and Garden—We have a full stock at right prices. Our line of Homies' garden seeds have no superior, as has been proven by past results. Don't overlook us, can save you money. Hayman's Hardware Dept.

CAPT. S. W. CROSWELL—will place the Schooner J. A. Croswell on the Manokin River beginning March 15th, to carry freight to and from Princess Anne to Baltimore. Your orders solicited. Address him at 1120 East 20th, Street Baltimore, Md.

PLOWING CONTEST—My challenge for plowing contest having been accepted by C. H. Hayman, we have arranged to meet on the farm of A. B. Fitzgerald on Thursday, April 4th, at 12 noon. Would be glad to have those interested present. E. S. PUSEY.

You may now obtain at a great sacrifice, in light, medium or heavy weight of the latest models Suits to measure, \$18.00, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 formerly \$18.00, \$22.50, \$28.00 and \$35.00. We guarantee to fit and please you. WILSON & BOWLAND, Princess Anne.

Farms wanted at once. If you want to sell your farm list at once with F. B. Allen, at Princess Anne. I represent the E. A. Strout Farm Agency, of New York City. Their advertising talks. My assistance to the buyer and seller is valuable and reliable. See Allen soon if you want to sell.

When you have to select from, the lines of plows, both riding and walkers, manufactured by John Deere Plow Co., South Bend Chilled Plow Co., Syracuse, Chilled Plow Co., which are the standards of this country; it must prove of convenience. We have them and prices are right.

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In selecting our line of Implements we are not guided entirely by price. There are cheap Johnnies and faddists in the implement business that the farmer must reckon with. In meeting this problem, ask where such product and their representative will be five years hence. We carry only standard Tools and repairs for everything we sell.

Hayman's Hardware Department.

To MR. E. S. PUSEY: Dear Sir:—We note your challenge on March 12th for demonstration of gang plows. We accept the same for any day you will suggest. You are aware that the gang plow doesn't justify many of our farmers, and in order to make the demonstration interesting we will, on this occasion, demonstrate our full line of plows and invite you to participate in the same with your full line. Respectfully,

C. H. HAYMAN.

The date on the label of your paper shows the time to which your subscription is paid. Please look at it.

—Mrs. Isadora Fisher and her daughter, Miss Emily, and two grandchildren of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Chas. T. Fisher.

### Local and Miscellaneous

—Farmers are beginning to get busy.

—A million-dollar wedding does not always mean a happy married life.

—Many a lover is like a broken clock; though wound up he doesn't go.

—The man who tries to earn an honest living meets with very little competition.

—Miss Eleanor H. Brattan entered the Shoreland Club last Thursday afternoon at her home on Main street.

—The toothsome shad made its appearance in our markets last Tuesday, and found a ready sale at \$1.00 each.

—Misses Mary Streets, Mary Mayer and Margaret Fithian, of Bridgeton, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Luther A. Oates.

—Mr. James A. Noble, of New York, spent several days last week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Noble, at Monie.

—Brides are wanted in western Washington state. Here is where the supply of leap year can connect nicely with the demand.

—The ladies of Salem Methodist Protestant Church will hold a Supper and Festival in the hall at Fairmont, on Thursday night, March 28th. Proceeds for benefit of the church.

—Wheat fields have begun to sprout and farmers are predicting a large crop. The ground being almost continuously covered with snow during the entire winter, has held the seeds in place and caused them to sprout sooner than usual.

—Mr. H. H. Richardson, next door to the Washington Hotel, has had his ice cream parlor enlarged and newly papered and also has in connection with soft drinks and confectioneries a nice line of candy for the Easter trade. See his advertisement elsewhere.

—Lenten services at St. Andrew's Church as follows: Week days (Saturdays excepted) at 5 o'clock; Sundays, Holy Communion at 7.30 o'clock in the morning and preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7.30 p. m., excepting the first Sunday in the month when the services (Liturgy and Holy Communion) are at 11 o'clock a. m.

—Two new automobiles were seen on our streets last week, one was a handsome Buick touring car just purchased by former Congressman Joshua W. Miles and the other was a Ford roadster, a recent purchase of Dr. Chas. T. Fishers. State's Attorney Gordon Tull, we understand, has also ordered a touring car of the Overland make.

—Mr. J. T. Crawford last week sold his farm located at the head of Wicomico Creek to Mr. S. T. Davis, of Oregon, for the sum of \$4000, also his personally for the sum of \$1000, possession to giving immediately. The farm contains 207 acres, one half of it being in cultivation. The sale was effected by Mr. Frank Lano, of Princess Anne.

—The attention of farmers is called to the fact that germination test of seed corn recently made on the peninsula shows that much of the corn will not germinate because of the severe freeze to which it was subjected late in January. Experts say the farmers should thoroughly test out their corn this spring if they would obtain a fair stand.

—Among the cases that came before the Circuit Court for Wicomico county last week was that of Wm. A. Sterling vs. The Marine Bank of Crisfield, removed from the Circuit Court for Somerset County. The case was discontinued and judgment for defendant's costs entered. Thomas S. Hodson and Toadvin & Bell represented the plaintiff and Miles & Myers, the defendant.

—Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, near Crisfield, last Wednesday night, protested against the Bishop's sending the Rev. Mr. Dashiell to succeed Rev. T. A. H. O'Brien. There is nothing against Mr. Dashiell, but they asked for Rev. E. H. Wright, of Red Rock. The church, it is said, does not belong to the conference. It pays \$1,400 a year, and some members say they will lock it against all except Mr. Wright.

—Mr. James M. Milbourne, one of the most prominent citizens of Brinkleys district died at his home at Shelltown last Wednesday, aged 84 years. He is survived by a widow, who was Miss Harriet Dashiell, of Quantico, and three daughters, Mrs. E. H. Smith and Mrs. John C. Cluff, of this county, and Mrs. Milton L. Tull, of Annapolis. The funeral was held on Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Rehoboth Baptist Church, and interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

—The fourth baseball team for Charlotte Hall School, St. Mary's county, Md., wishes to announce the team which they organized hereafter called the "Charlotte Hall Orioles." The positions are as follows: Cadet F. C. Coad, Pitcher, (Manager); Cadet C. F. Brotemarkle, 1st Base, (Captain); Cadet S. B. Schaeffer, Catcher; Cadet W. F. Bell, 3rd Base; Cadet H. A. Hoyt, Short Stop; Cadet G. A. Marti, Second Base; Cadet R. A. Gough, Left Field; Cadet F. W. Dodge, Center Field; Cadet J. S. Reynolds, Right Field. Cadet Hoyt is a son of Dr. R. L. Hoyt, of Oriole, this county.

—Most always a man's sympathy does not extend as far as his pocket-book.

—You need something stronger than suspended animation to keep up appearances.

—The laundryman keeps tabs on his customers' shirts, but the bachelor would prefer buttons.

—Thieves, who stole more than 1000 fowls from Cecil county farmers recently, shipped their plunder to outside territory in trunks.

—The Cecil County Commissioners estimate that the damage done to roads and bridges by the recent storm will exceed \$20,000.

### Warning to Potato Growers

The short crop of Irish potatoes in the United States last year has led to the importation of large quantities of European potatoes. Much of the importations are from regions infected with the potato wart disease, a disease much more destructive to the potato than any of our blights or scab. It converts the tubers into a rough, unsightly mass, and in many parts of Europe it has seriously damaged the potato industry. It has spread over Europe in recent past and has already appeared on this side of the Atlantic in Newfoundland.

Canada has quarantined against regions in Europe and Newfoundland infected with this disease, and because the United States has no law to prevent the introduction of potatoes from infected countries, Canada is now also barring out our potatoes as a necessary means of keeping the disease out of her fields.

Maryland potato growers should take warning not to plant any imported potatoes as they may contain the disease without it being seen. If the disease appears once in our fields, it will be practically impossible to eradicate it.

### Contest For a Judgeship

The fight for the Democratic nomination for Chief Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit to succeed Judge James Alfred Pearce, whose term expires next November, has narrowed down to State's Attorney Albert Constable, Jr., of Cecil county, and Associate Judge William H. Adkins, of Talbot county. The nomination under the new Primary Election law will be made by the direct voting system next month. The circuit is composed of Cecil, Caroline, Talbot, Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

### To Mothers—And Others.

You can use Bucklen's Arnica Salve to cure children of eczema, rashes, tetters, chafes, scaly and crusty humors, as well as their accidental injuries, cuts, burns, bruises, etc., with perfect safety. Nothing else heals so quickly. For boils, ulcers, old, running or fever sores or piles it has no equal. 25 cents at Omar A. Jones' Drug Store.

### H. H. RICHARDSON

CIGARS, TOBACCO, CONFECTIONERIES, ICE CREAM and SODA WATER.

Ice Cream Parlor enlarged and newly papered. Ladies' patronage solicited.

Agent for "Belle Mead Sweets"—full line of fresh package goods always on hand. A line of 12c candy which can not be duplicated in the town for less than 20 cents a pound. A fine line of Easter Candies now on hand.

MAIN STREET PRINCESS ANNE, Next door to Washington Hotel.

3% ON SAVINGS

### A College Bank Account

Every farmer should give his boys and girls an educational course at some Agricultural College. It may be the means of keeping them on the farm in your old age, and farm life is the best life this country offers today. Why not start a Savings account with the BANK OF SOMERSET and call it the Educational Fund. Small amounts deposited regularly at 3 per cent interest will provide the necessary expense money for a college course.

### Bank of Somerset

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00

Princess Anne, Maryland

Advertise In This Paper.

### Goldsborough's First Message

Governor Goldsborough sent to both houses of the Legislature last Tuesday night a special message in which he severely criticised the Bosley election law enacted at the first week of the session and signed by Governor Crothers, declaring his belief that it is unconstitutional and intimating that it may be tested in the courts, asking that a fairer law be substituted for it and that the Corrupt Practices act be strengthened; strongly urging the adoption of the new charter for Baltimore city as finally recommended by the Charter Revision Commission, and urging the Legislature to enact a Presidential primary law.

### Now Is the Time to Spray

Now is the time for all growers to make arrangements for the treating of fruit trees for the San Jose Scale. The best allround remedy is the concentrated lime-sulphur mixture. This wash can be bought or made at home, depending upon the inclination of the grower. Bulletin No. 161 of the Experiment Station, College Park, Md., which can be had for the asking, discusses the manner of making and use of this remedy. All trees should be sprayed before the buds open.

All fruit growers who have neglected orchards near them which are a menace to the vicinity, should notify the officers of the State Horticultural Department, at College Park.

All Osage hedges should be gotten rid of as far as possible, as they serve to spread the scale. If kept, they should also be sprayed.

The Maryland Agricultural College and Experiment Station desires to conduct as many spraying and pruning demonstrations in different parts of the State as means will permit, to show what may be accomplished by up-to-date methods of treatment. Any person or persons who are particularly interested in promoting this work should communicate with Thomas B. Symons, College Park, Md.

### Dr. C. W. PURNELL,

OPTOMETRIST, of Cambridge, will be at O. A. Jones' Drug Store on Monday afternoon, April 8th, 1912. Glasses prescribed and furnished when necessary.

### PICTURES ARTISTICALLY FRAMED HERE

We are prepared to do all kinds of framing in the most up-to-date way.

All kinds of picture framing and matting carried in stock and a speedy job is insured.

All work guaranteed to be satisfactory or will make it right.

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### OMAR A. JONES,

DRUGGIST, Princess Anne, Maryland

## LANKFORD'S DEPARTMENT STORE

# A NEW DRESS FOR ALL

All are wanting a new dress—the birds and the beasts and even the snakes at this time of the crossing from winter to spring. They all want a new dress, and why not? The spring time, dress is different from all others and we are here with the goods.

The crossing from winter into spring is an unusual event that is always filled with interest and enthusiasm. No other seasons of the year is just equal to this. No other season calls so loud to us to prepare for the wants of Milady. This is the time to sacrifice the price of the winter goods and to put in their place the new and beautiful. We have foreseen this and claim to be to the front with an up-to-the-minute assortment of the merchandise that each department lays claim to. No better way to shake out the winter kinks than to come in and see for yourself that our new goods are all that we claim for them.

Never before have we been able to show so pretty line of

## WASH GOODS

Carefully selected and priced as low as quality can permit.

Silks in the wash fabric; Satin Messalines and Foulards, Tissues, Voiles, Marquessettes, etc., in plain, figured and bordered and Trimmings to match.

We sell PUNJAB PERCALES and sell them at the price of the ordinary kind.

You cannot get this kind of goods of anyone else here.

We may be a little early for all the buyers of Footwear, but we want to say that the

## STYLISH SPRING SHOES

are here for the early buyer that would not only want a pretty foot but wearing quality as well.

## LARESISTA CORSET

The new line we have added is taking fine—boned with spiral steel bone and guaranteed. Try a pair and look pleased.

## FURNITURE

Spring would hardly be spring if you had not housecleaning. We have New Mattings, Rugs and Floor Coverings to help you freshen up at a small expense.

## GROCERY DEPARTMENT

The popularity of our Grocery Counter continues to increase. The way we account for this, the standard of stock is the highest and variety equal to well-appointed grocery stores.

Eggs, Butter, Poultry, etc., exchanged for merchandise. Our record for giving the highest prices is what we hold up.

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# THE NATIONAL GRANGE

Conducted by Charles M. Gardner, Editor of the National Grange, Westfield, Mass.

## MOVEMENT A NATIONAL ONE

Influence is widespread—Some of the Legislative Measures It Early Demanded Have Been Enacted.

Many people who know that the grange is an organization that covers the whole country, and who understand its social and educational phases and are more or less in touch with its efforts for local community benefit, still do not understand how far-reaching is the work of the grange, in a national sense, as it exerts its influence for the promotion of large policies, directing its efforts for their accomplishment year after year, as a settled grange policy.

Ten years ago, at its annual session, the national grange made a declaration of its legislative policy, in the "platform" given below, and from that declaration the grange support has never varied, in all the years that have followed. Some of the measures demanded have since been accomplished, in part at least, while the demand for their further extension and for the accomplishment of the others continues more insistent than ever, as the grange influence and prestige increases.

It will be noted, in the case of all these measures, that though aimed primarily for the good of agriculture and the benefit of rural life, they nevertheless point the way towards the general good, and are in no sense class legislation or in the slightest degree antagonistic to the general policy of the greatest good to the greatest number. The platform above referred to is as follows:

1. Free delivery of mail in the rural districts, and that the service be placed on the same permanent footing as the delivery of mail in the cities, and that the appropriations be commensurate with the demands and benefits of the service.
2. Provide for postal savings banks.
3. Submit an amendment to the Constitution providing for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.
4. Submit an amendment to the Constitution granting the power to congress to regulate and control all corporations and combinations preventing monopoly, and the use of their corporate power to restrain trade or arbitrarily establish prices.
5. Enlarge the powers and duties of the interstate commerce commission.
6. Regulate the use of shoddy.
7. Enact pure food law.
8. Provide for the extension of the markets of farm products equally with manufactured articles.
9. The enactment of an anti-trust law, clearly defining what acts on the part of any corporation would be detrimental to public welfare.
10. Speedy construction of the Nicaragua canal by the United States.
11. The speedy construction of a ship canal connecting the Mississippi river with the great lakes and the great lakes with the Atlantic ocean.
12. Revising the fees and salaries of all federal officers, and placing them on a basis of similar service in private business.
13. Protect the dairy interests by the passage of stringent legislation.

### Fight for School Laws.

The grange in Massachusetts are making a vigorous fight for improved school laws, to the extent of requiring that towns shall pay the transportation expenses of pupils living in towns where no high school is maintained, who go to another town to attend high school. Under the present Massachusetts law the tuition of such children is paid by the towns but there is no such provision for transportation, which means in many cases, a prohibitive expense, thereby depriving many boys and girls from getting the high school education which they so much need.

The move to include transportation in the same class as tuition was initiated at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts state grange and has met with a hearty response from the granges throughout the state. A bill covering the desired change has been introduced into the present session of the legislature and a strong support for it will be rallied, both in committee hearings and when it comes to vote in the two branches of the legislature.

The grange in Massachusetts has been instrumental in the past in securing many steps in school progress. The compulsory school superintendency law in that state was brought about very largely through grange influence, industrial training and agriculture courses in the public schools here vigorously supported by grange agitation and effort; while much grange influence was also exerted in behalf of longer terms and better-paid teachers in the country schools—two distinct accomplishments of the past few years.

### Offering of Prizes.

The offering of prizes for the most marked improvement of home surroundings is being made a feature of the coming year in many Granges. It is believed that such a competition will arouse beneficial interest and that decided benefit will result, attesting Grange leadership along very practical lines.

# Tutt's Pills

This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure

Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness

And ALL DISEASES arising from a Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion

The natural result is good appetite and solid flesh. Dose small; elegantly sugar coated and easy to swallow.

Take No Substitute.

## WHEN BUYING STOCKS.

Do as the Successful Wall Street Speculator Does.

If you want to speculate buy stocks that Wall street speculators buy. Don't buy things offered by smooth tongued agents working for a handsome commission. Don't buy stocks that are guaranteed to have a big advance.

The successful Wall street speculator never tries to make money in these sort of things. He buys stocks that have passed muster and been listed on the exchange. Before they can be listed the company must make a report that will justify listing. While this report is not as complete as it should be, it bars out all the wildcat propositions by which the people are being swindled.

It is just as easy to buy listed stocks as any other. Brokers of good standing in the stock exchange are advertising in reputable publications, and one can always open up a correspondence with a broker and have his questions freely and fully answered. The broker likes nothing better than to answer letters from a customer or from a prospective customer.

If any one is timid about dealing with a broker he can always deal through his bank or get a reference to some broker from his banker.—Jasper, in Leslie's.

## SALT AND ICE.

The Process That Begins When the Two Are Mixed.

It is not correct to say that salt dissolves ice, since real solution only takes place when a solid, liquid or gas is dissolved in a liquid.

The true explanation of the fact that ice melts when common salt is added to it depends upon the simple physical principle that when a salt is dissolved in water heat is absorbed and its temperature is lowered. When salt and ice are mixed together some of the salt dissolves in the small amount of water which is always present, the temperature is thereby lowered, and a new freezing point is established.

The remainder of the ice, being at a temperature higher than this new freezing point, slowly melts, and more salt is dissolved until the solution is saturated. The temperature can in this way be lowered to 22 degrees C., which is the freezing point of a definite compound of salt and water.

The salts dissolved in sea waters serve a very important purpose, as it requires a greater degree of cold to cause the formation of ice on them than on fresh water.

**Bonaparte and Mile. Montansier.**  
The Cafe Corazza, in the Palais Royal, had many interesting clients in its time. It was there that General Bonaparte, then only a general of brigade, asked his friend Barras to find him a rich wife, and Barras suggested Mile. Montansier, the proprietress of the adjacent Theatre Montansier. She was sixty-three, but she was well preserved and might have passed for forty-five, and she was believed to have accumulated a fortune of \$48,000. Bonaparte asked to be introduced, and Barras presented him and assures us in his memoirs that the match would have come off if it had not been for the events of Vendemiaire. After that memorable day of the "whiff of grape-shot" the future emperor broke off the engagement, feeling himself too important to marry a superannuated actress, even for the sake of having the spending of her savings.—Pall Mall Gazette.

**Example Better Than Precept.**  
John Wesley, accompanied by one of his preachers, was once dining at the house of a rich Methodist. The tables were spread with a liberal meal, but Wesley's companion no sooner saw it than he said:

"Oh, sir, what a sumptuous dinner! Things are very different from what they once were. I fear there is but little self denial among Methodists in these days."

"My brother," said Wesley, pointing to the table, "there is a fine opportunity for self denial now."

The hint was not taken, but the rebuke did its work.

**Alike, but Different.**  
The teacher had the letters c-a-t on the blackboard and was trying to teach little Pansy Peavish to pronounce the word, but Pansy couldn't come it. "Think," said the teacher. "What is it that has some whiskers and comes up on the porch late at night when it is cold and begs to come into the house?" "Oh, I know!" exclaimed little Pansy, a great light dawning. "It's papa!"—Galveston News.

**The Trial Heat.**  
Ethel (engaged a week)—George and I have never had a quarrel. Maud—Oh, I think you ought to have one before you are married. Otherwise you can't be quite sure whether you are going to have your own way or not.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

# Home Town Helps

## STRONG PLEA FOR PARKWAY

Los Angeles Newspaper Condemns a Proposed Plan as Not in Interests of Economy.

W. H. Humphreys of the Los Angeles board of public works has gone on record as favoring narrower driveways in strictly residential districts, and would lessen the street width and widen the parkways of many now existent. This from a purely economic view of the matter, says the Examiner of that city. Narrow streets cost less to build and less to maintain than wide ones and when there are to be, or are paved such initial cost and upkeep is no small expense.

But there is another side to the question, the esthetic view of the matter. How may we have beautiful streets with but a narrow green ribbon along each side from 18 to 30 inches wide? Such a paucity of parkway does not in the least influence the appearance of the street. All that may be said for it is that street trees may be planted therein, though they cannot remain in vigorous health and beauty except for their youthful years. It may be possible for a tree to survive for many years under such hard conditions, but what about them in 50 or 75 years, at the time when they should be most impressive. The trunks will then have filled any ordinary parkway from curb to curb. Shall we then cut them out or shall we cut a large half-circle out of the cement sidewalk and also narrow the driveway three or more feet on each side by moving each curb toward the middle of the street? Would it not be better to start right and have fine vigorous, healthy trees for all time and rest assured of their enduring centuries, to the continued beautification of our city? When shall we correct admittedly wrong conditions? Do it now.

**MAKING A CITY BEAUTIFUL**  
Plenty of Trees Not the Only Essential to Good Effects—Straight Streets Wrong.

"When art will make our streets as beautiful as the woods and as elevating as the mountainsides, then it will be a pleasure and a rest, and not a weight upon the spirit to come from the open country into the city." So sang a great writer and a great observer. Though this means, primarily, the carrying out of the writer's hobby—fully planted streets—there is much more to be done before we have beautiful streets.

Straight streets in residence districts, especially among the hills, are largely wrong, though if many were contour lines we might easily endure a few straight ones. In following a straight street we are impressed with its monotony except it be well planted and flanked with fine gardens. On streets of series of graceful curves the scene is ever-changing, and we view both street and garden scenery from every possible angle, thereby getting all variations obtainable. It almost constitutes a crime to cut canyons through hills, for it will ever be a source of regret to those of good taste, clear down to the end of time.

Nevertheless, we are progressing in this respect, for many large subdivisions of late have been laid out in conformity to the contour of the hills. This means, usually, that landscape engineers, rather than civil engineers only, are planning this new work. Wider parkways are also prevailing, still another assurance that the landscape gardener and horticulturist is not without influence, even in cold-blooded business deals.

**European Model Villages.**  
The plan of "garden cities" has been taken up with great enthusiasm in France and in many industrial centers efforts have been made to follow the English example of establishing model villages for work people. A big coal mining company near Douai has laid out a splendid garden village and now is rendering more beautiful the approaches to the mines, masking the unsightly shafts and engine houses with rose gardens.

**Women Travelers Expect Much.**  
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**Mexican Plague of Field Mice.**  
Manzanillo reports that a plague of mice has visited the fields in that section of Colima and almost destroyed the corn and rice crops. The rodents have gnawed away at a rate that alarmed the farmers and they have appealed to the authorities for some means to exterminate them. Whole fields of corn have been moved down and the farmers are at a loss how to check the advance of the mice to prevent further loss.

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Leave	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Delmar	8 00	10 40	7 02	10 15
Salisbury	8 10	10 55	7 16	10 27
Princess Anne	8 28	11 24	7 45	10 55
Cape Charles	6 15	4 30	10 40	4 50
Old Point	8 00	6 20	.....	.....
Norfolk (ar.)	9 05	7 25	.....	7 25

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Leave	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Norfolk	8 00	6 15	.....
Old Point	8 45	7 15	.....
Cape Charles	11 05	9 30	6 00
Princess Anne	7 02	1 10	11 59
Salisbury	7 34	1 35	12 25am
Delmar	8 01	2 00	12 54

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Baltimore	12 40	7 03	6 01	.....
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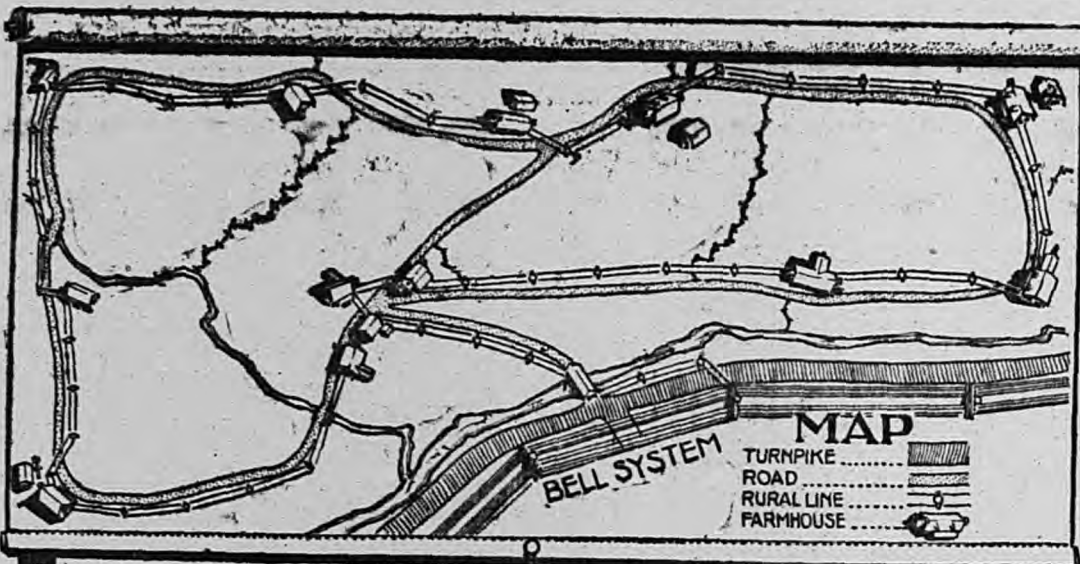
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### Sense of Hunger and Thirst.

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### HEARD A BIG COMMOTION.

Two Boys Who Stumbled Upon One of the Great Scenes in History. Ed Howe tells the following story in the American Magazine:

"So little that is really exciting or worth while has happened in my life that I am greatly interested in Jim and Dan Ayers, who run a restaurant in the town where I live. Something really happened to them once upon a time, and when I go to their restaurant I enjoy hearing them tell about it.

"When they were boys they lived on a farm in Virginia. I have heard them say their postoffice was Sudley Springs. One Sunday morning their father started them to Sunday school, and, after they had lathered along the way a mile or two, Jim Ayers remarked a commotion over beyond what they called the Big Woods.

"What's that? Jim asked, stopping. "It was getting late by this time, and Dan replied:

"I don't know, but we'd better hurry up and get to Sunday school or we'll get a whipping."

"Then they hurried on, but the commotion over beyond the Big Woods broke out again faintly, but it was very unusual, and Jim stopped and listened. He had never heard anything like it before, although he was a big boy twelve years old, and, after listening awhile, he said:

"I'm going over there."

"Better not," Dan said. "You know father whips hard."

"But the strange commotion continued, so Jim said he was going, whipping or no whipping. Dan followed, but kept saying they would catch it when they returned home.

"They walked and walked and walked. All the time the commotion over beyond the Big Woods became more pronounced, but they couldn't tell what it was. They forded streams and were chased by strange dogs, but kept on from 10 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. They had nothing to eat, and they didn't know that they could ever find their way back, because they were in a country strange to them. But they kept on, and a little after 3 o'clock, as a reward for their perseverance, they walked into the battle of Bull Run. I never before heard of boys going anywhere and finding anything as great as they expected."

### The Last Resort.

Matrimonial Agent.—Yes, sir, I think we can suit you perfectly. Ah, our preliminary fee is 5 guineas. The Client.—Five guineas? My dear-lad, the fee is farcical. Why should I want to marry if I possessed all that money?—London Opinion.

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His Sinless Nature and Infinite Love

THERE is a prevalent misconception concerning the daily life and experiences of the Lord Jesus when he was with us. We think of him as the "Man of sorrows," and rightly. "He carried his sorrows," the burden of our guilt was upon him. He was so in sympathy with men that their burdens and sorrows became his. The incompleteness of character, the hypocrisy and deceit which met him everywhere, the thousand forms of iniquity which filled the world, our guilt laid upon his soul, did indeed fill him with sorrow; there was no sorrow like his. It was a deep undercurrent that became greater as he approached the end. Even when all would seem to be far removed from this, when the multitudes were about him seeking his blessing, we hear him say: "My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even unto death."

But with all this his heart was full of joy. There was sorrow, but there was no sadness; there was a burden, but there was no disappointment; there was the keen sense of the guilt of sin and of the agony of the atonement, but there was no hesitation. We see the tumult, but he speaks of "my peace," his own peculiar peace; we see the suffering, but his highest wish for his disciples was that "my joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full."

### Life's Suffering and Happiness.

Suffering and happiness are not incompatible; sorrow and joy are not so antagonistic that they may not dwell in the same heart. There is a grace which rises above the suffering, and makes it minister to joy. It is one of the wonderful things of grace that it so lifts us up out of our surroundings and out of ourselves, that there is perfect peace even when the suffering is greatest. We have seen the victim of disease racked with pain whose face beamed with joy, and whose words were songs of praise. The martyrs sang as they burned. So with Jesus; at the very time when his cup was filled to the overflowing, he talked with his disciples out of a heart perfectly at rest.

There was to Jesus the joy of his sinless nature. We cannot measure that, but we may sometimes have a foretaste of it; there may be such a sense of pardon and of Divine love that we are as in the presence of God, but our highest short experience is far below the blessedness which was perpetual in the soul of Jesus. To him there was the joy of infinite love. He gave himself for others, and in their salvation his joy was above all suffering. The prayer of the penitent thief was to him the joy of love prevailing, even over the thorns and the nails. There to him was the consciousness of his Father's love and support. He dwelt on that love. Even with the cross before him, in the communion of the holy fellowship his very garments shone with the glory of God. He was mocked and scorned, but all the time he saw his work prevailing.

### All Typical of His Love.

The lame man walking, the dumb man singing the praise of God, the dead man coming back to life, were typical of a greater work of love in the salvation of men. He thought of the man whose sins were forgiven as one saved, and not simply healed. The world redeemed was not present to him. How great the joy of that hour as he prayed, "Holy Father, keep those whom thou hast given me!" We can know but little of that higher world in which Jesus lived, for it is the world of perfect holiness and infinite love, but we see something of it; we have something in common with him, so that we can enter into his joy sufficiently to know that it crowned all labor and sweetened all sorrow. The "Man of sorrows let him ever be us, but also we should open our hearts to receive the inflowing of his ever-present, unbounded joy.—United Presbyterian.

### Joy of the Lord.

Sorrow for sin is the road to the joy of salvation. As with the people of Israel of old, the terrors of the law are only the reverse side of the glory of the gospel; the warnings are only shadows of the promises. So Ezra spoke words of consolation to the weeping people assembled to hear from his lips God's message to them. "This day is holy unto Jehovah your God; mourn not nor weep, for the joy of Jehovah is your strength."

The joy that gives strength is a divine joy. It is called "the joy of Jehovah." For pain and rapture meet in the life of God. He, too, feels anguish for the broken law as he feels in the broken lives of his children, and he, bearing the burden of the world's agony in atoning love, touches the blessedness of divinity through sacrificial service, when he sees of the travail of his soul and is satisfied. When we learn to share his heart-break over a lost world and lost souls we shall have also entered into the joy of our Lord.

## THERE IS

absolutely no word to express the efficacy of

## Scott's Emulsion

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of  
**COUGHS, COLDS  
BRONCHITIS  
CATARRH, GRIPPE  
AND  
RHEUMATISM**

ALL DRUGGISTS

### PARIS HAS A SWEET TOOTH.

A Post to Whom Candy Brought Better Results Than His Rimes.

The best business in Paris is said to be that of the well established and popular confectioner, and this fact has been recognized. It is said, since the days of Napoleon III. and his natural brother, the Duke de Morny, "The duke," says Le Cri de Paris, "had a weakness for writing vaudevilles and often asked the counsel of Siraudin, who was a skillful collaborator of Clairville."

"But the theater brought no riches to Siraudin. One day Morny said to him: 'My friend, I want to see thee in a better situation. The idea comes to me to put thee in commerce. What dost thou say to it?'

"Siraudin received this proposition joyfully, but what line of trade should he choose? Morny and Siraudin set out on the principle that the best business was evidently the one in which there were fewest failures. They conscientiously scanned the bulletin of declarations of bankruptcy. All the trades were represented there—all except one; that was the confectioner, and Morny gave to Siraudin the necessary capital to establish himself as a merchant of bonbons. Siraudin ingeniously conciliated the lyric muse. He wrapped his pralines, his sugar plums and his chocolates in kiss papers, each inclosing his printed verses. Morny did better than establish him. He frequented his shop. As the duke was the king of the world of fashion, he drew all Paris by his example, and the fortune of the poet-confectioner Siraudin was made."

### THE STARS APPEARED.

He Only Wanted to See One, but He Was Introduced to a Cluster.

He had been celebrating, not wisely, but too well, and getting obstreperous and noisy and looking for a fight he was tackled by a policeman who in plain clothes was on his way home. The drunken one showed fight and was indignant that an apparently private citizen should try to arrest him. "Show me your star!" he demanded. "Don't believe you're a cop at all. Won't go with you till I see your star," and he aimed a maulin blow at the policeman.

There was a scuffle and a fight, short lived, but strenuous, and the drunken man was landed in the police station, where he stayed all night. In the morning it was a disheveled and torn wreck that appeared before the magistrate and who listened to the policeman relate the trouble he had in getting him to the station house.

"He wanted to fight me all the way to the station, your honor. He kept pulling back and trying to trip me and yelling: 'Show me your star! I won't go unless you show me your star.'"

"And," asked the magistrate gently, "did you show him your star?"

"Your honor," interrupted the prisoner, "he clouted me on the head, and I saw the star—I saw several of them, enough to go around the entire force."

### Population by Race.

The population of the world by race is: Indo-Germanic (white), 550,000,000; Mongolian (yellow and brown), 630,000,000; Semitic (white), 65,000,000; Negro (black), 150,000,000; Malay (brown), 35,000,000; American Indian (red), 15,000,000. This latter figure includes every variety of the redman in all parts of the earth, the actual number of Indians in North America being much less than a million. The white race is increasing much faster than the others, owing probably to its superior intelligence and scientific knowledge of medicine and sanitation.—New York American.

### Sounded All Right.

Patience.—Well, he told the truth, anyway. Patience.—How so? Patience.—When he was buying the solitaire he told the jeweler it was for a sister. Patience.—Well, I'm sure that wasn't true. Patience.—Why, yes; when he offered it to the girl she promised to be a sister to him.—Yonkers Statesman.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## A DEED OF DARING

One of Mad Anthony Wayne's Remarkable Achievements.

### STORMING OF STONY POINT.

This Brilliant Feat of Arms, In Which Success Was Won at the Point of the Bayonet, Was One of the Most Desperate Incidents of Any War.

One of the most marvelous achievements credited to American bravery and strategy was that of the capture of Stony Point by Mad Anthony Wayne, who was one of the most picturesque figures of the American revolution. When he was superseded in command of the Pennsylvania line, even after his brilliant success at Monmouth on June 28, 1778, a less ambitious and patriotic man would have resigned his commission.

It seemed the irony of fate that the setback in his career should follow so closely the official encomiums for his work at Monmouth, but that very setback gave him Stony Point—the greatest opportunity of his life—and he made good.

There were two important factors, discipline and valor, that entered into this remarkable achievement, the capture of a fortress on the Hudson held by the British and considered almost impregnable. Stony Point was an island and the fortress was built on a rock which was precipitous and rough. It was guarded by three redoubts and protected by a double abatis of logs that extended across the peninsula. The post was garrisoned by 607 men, who felt so secure in their position that they were wont to refer to the post as the "Little Gibraltar."

On July 14 General Wayne assembled all his troops at Sandy Beach, and at that moment none of his soldiers knew the plans of their commander. The following day the march began over a wilderness trail and in perfect silence. Not a man was allowed to leave the column under penalty of death. By 8 o'clock that night they were within one and one-half miles of the British fortress. Then the men were told of the desperate work ahead of them and the battle order read.

No man was allowed to load his musket, and the battle was to be won or lost with the bayonet alone. One portion of the order provided that any man found retreating a single foot was to be put to death at once.

Close to midnight the order to advance was given. The fort was to be attacked from all sides. Once in motion General Wayne lost no time. The British opened fire with guns, both great and small. Seventeen of the twenty men in one advance guard were shot down but the companies in the rear eagerly pressed on. General Wayne himself, struck in the head with a musket ball, fell stunned. He recovered in a moment and, rising on one knee, shouted: "March on! March on!" Then, turning to his aids he begged them to take him into the fort so that if his wound was mortal he would die at the head of his column.

General Wayne's wound drove his followers to a frenzy. They dashed up the hill and battered down all opposition. Colonel Pleury, a French officer in the American service, at the head of his determined band forced his way up the redoubt and as the soldiers poured into the fort grasped the British flag and lowered it. The victory was complete. The British lost 53 killed and 543 taken prisoners, of whom 70 were wounded. The Americans lost 15 killed and had 83 wounded. It was one of the most daring and desperate incidents of any war.

From every point of view the storming of Stony Point was a remarkable feat of arms, but back of the success of that night was a story of preparedness, the cause which has always been overshadowed by the brilliancy of the result. General Wayne had trained his men, stimulated their pride, enforced rigid discipline, had them at the point of attack at the right moment and then with inspiring valor led them.

The victory at Stony Point naturally aroused a tremendous enthusiasm, and it came at the right time. The country was depressed if not quite discouraged, and Stony Point was like a tonic. It gave the people more strength, more courage and at a time when they sadly needed it. Not only did General Wayne receive official recognition, but he was in receipt of hundreds of congratulatory letters expressing popular and professional opinion.—Chicago News.

### A Cheerful Suggestion.

Not long ago a stock of crockery was sold at auction, and Mrs. Wilson attended the sale. When she returned her face was radiant with joy.

"You must join the cremation society," were the first words she said to her husband.

Mr. W.—What for?

Mrs. W.—I've bought such a lovely vase to hold your ashes! You have no idea how it will set off the mahogany piece.—London Answers.

### Has a Right to Be Resentful.

"I don't mind having my trousers, my coat, my necktie or even my collar splashed with mud by an automobile," says a South Broad street man. "But when one motorcar spatters my spectacles so that I can't see to dodge the next one I think I have a right to feel resentful."—Newark News.

Saving comes too late when you get to the bottom.—Seneca.



## Oyster Legislation

It is unfortunate that scarcely a Legislature passes that does not tinker the oyster law. One would suppose that after all these years the vexatious problem would have been solved.

The present Legislative session is no exception and all sorts of bills and amended bills have been introduced. Whether any of these will be passed waits to be seen. New legislation has the effect of arousing suspicion on the part of those whose living in the main depends upon strenuous work and exposure on the water. To them, talk of monopolies, motor boats on leased holdings and the like are so many danger signals.

Whilst this paper is not a strong upholder of commissions of any form, yet when the shell-fish commission was created, we were more tolerant, in the hope that order would now come out of chaos. We are not now prepared to say that the commission should be abolished; on the contrary we believe its work should have time to be thoroughly tested. A new system might be no better, if as good.

The supply of oysters does not seem to be decreasing, according to those supposed to be informed. If this be so and the natural rocks are more than furnishing the market, why the necessity for new legislation? The question is, have we not had Legislation enough and should we not be afforded time to test what we already have?

## A Dangerous Doctrine

Many people are misled by the speeches of noted persons who, in their effort to attract attention, assume positions on public questions that have dangerous tendencies. This is especially true at this time when attention is attracted to the doctrine of judicial recall.

The old belief that the majority should rule may be strained woefully if the decision of judges upon constitutional questions shall be subjected to the will of a multitude of untrained or ignorant people. There are legal methods, of historical repute, of dealing with unrighteous officials. To subordinate these methods to the voice of a majority of the popular vote is a most questionable proceeding.

The doctrine of recall has a socialistic ring. The voice of the people may be far from the voice of God, the old Latin adage to the contrary. The multitude started upon a system of impatience might easily fall into a policy of force and when overexcited, the majority might degenerate into a mob.

It is a grave matter for men of note to play upon popular passions, and those who do so assume the gravest kind of responsibility.

## Bribery

The Legislature did well to pause and order an investigation of the charge that one of its members had been approached with a bribe. The merits of this particular case are not so important to the general public as the necessity for rebuking in the most meretricious manner any tendency to such unrighteous methods.

The representatives of the people are supposed to be above reproach, and they should be held to the strictest accountability for their conduct; and on the other hand every guard should be placed against the intrusion of people whose motives are baneful.

It is not every one who is strong enough to resist temptation. Especially is this true of youth in humble circumstances. The more reason why the strong arm of the law should intervene at the slightest suspicion of impropriety. The investigation of the present case, whatever its outcome, should prove a wholesome warning to wrong doers.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been surprised and delighted with the prompt relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Not one case of rheumatism is ever requires any internal treatment whatever. This Liniment is for sale by all dealers.

## What Do The People Wish?

We have been hearing assurances, wearisome in their iteration, absurd in their confidence and irritating in their truculence, of what the people demand. Every man has the private right of assuming that he is an embodiment of the public, and that what he wants the public wants. But let his noisy declarations of what the people wish be frankly acknowledged as the mere reflection of his own wishes, or else let him produce some evidence of the popular desires.

What evidence is there? Well, a good surface indication is the general drift of newspaper expressions. We do not pretend that this is conclusive, but as the newspapers appeal directly to public support, they are not likely persistently and over a large area to antagonize the prevailing public opinion within their respective parties. The only documentary and statistical proof of public opinion we can get is the election returns. In detail that is imperfect, but in a broad view and over a fair stretch of time it is adequate and conclusive.

For example, the fact that the Democrats carried such States as Maine, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Ohio in 1910 is pretty good evidence that the people are turning away in disgust from the Republican party, and especially from the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. That evidence may be corroborated next November; it may be reversed. But for the present that is the best evidence we have of what the people desire.

What evidence have we of what the people wish as to Presidential candidates? The selection of delegates to the national conventions creates a reasonable presumption. The public sentiment may in some cases be defeated by official patronage, or by a conspiracy of political bosses. But such things cannot control a general drift over widely scattered parts of the country. In the meanwhile the shouters for one candidate or another who pretend to know that the people are enthusiastically determined on some course of which there is no indication in the newspapers or in the local conventions are making themselves as ridiculous as they are tiresome.—Philadelphia Record.

## STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal.) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Limitations of the Primary

The inadequacy of the direct primary as a means of nominating Presidential candidates is well illustrated by the situation which the Democratic State convention of Maine recognizes as sufficient reason for sending an untrained delegation to the Baltimore convention. Senator Obadiah Gardner and one of the Democratic Congressmen are for Governor Wilson, but the Harmon forces have as many members of the State committee as has the New Jersey Governor. Speaker Clark and Congressman Underwood have enthusiastic supporters as well. The district delegates are divided in their attitude and it is generally agreed that popular opinion has clearly defined preferences.

The situation is paralleled in many other States, and is likely to continue so up to the time of the convention. It is improbable that were a nationwide primary to be held in July, as provided in the Cummins primary bill, or were State primaries to be held generally in place of State conventions, a majority vote could be secured for any one of the four leading Democratic candidates, to which list in such a primary the name of Bryan would necessarily be added. A two-thirds vote, which is the traditional Democratic requirement, would be still less probable. Similarly complex situations may be expected in the Republican party in any Presidential campaign. The limited choice between two candidates which occurs this year, and which makes a popular expression of preference plausible, is exceptional. So far as we have had any experience with direct primaries, the effect has been to multiply candidacies and to scatter the expression of public opinion, rather than to concentrate it. The limitations of the Presidential primary are practical, rather than theoretical.—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Children are much more likely to contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say beware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

## The Allens' Trial.

The trial of Floyd Allen and his son and any other of the Allens who may be captured in the interim will begin April 15. This trial will be conducted by Judge Campbell in the Carroll county court where the murder of Judge Massie and other court officers was perpetrated. It has been definitely decided to try the Allens in Hillsville, the scene of their crime. Difficulty will doubtless be had in the selection of a jury, but jurymen will be impaneled from three counties—Pulaski, Carroll and Grayson.

You can say goodbye to constipation with a clear conscience if you use Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured by their use. For sale by all dealers.

If consumptives can be treated successfully at a dispensary, obviating the necessity of leaving their work and their families to go to a sanitarium, the fact is of the greatest importance. The Medical Record publishes an account by Dr. Russell of his work in New York in this direction, and he seems to have effected a larger percentage of cures than can be credited to the sanitarium. He depends entirely on the feeding of the patients, who must come to his dispensary twice every day, and his hours are arranged to accommodate men who are earning their livings. This seems to put the possibility of health within the reach of victims of tuberculosis who could not go to a sanitarium without becoming objects of charity and leaving their families to endure like humiliation.—Philadelphia Record.

## Glorious News

comes from D. J. Curtis, Dwight, Kan. He writes: "I not only have cured bad cases of eczema in my patients with Electric Bitters, but also cured myself by them of the same disease. I feel sure they will benefit any case of eczema." This shows what thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is a most effective blood purifier. Its an excellent remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Price 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by Omar A. Jones, Druggist, Princess Anne, Md.

## Public Sale

The subscriber will offer at public sale on the premises known as the "Albert Sudler Farm," about one-half mile from Westover, Maryland, on Wednesday, March 27th, 1912, commencing about 10 o'clock a. m., the following Personalty: Two Belgian Brood Mares, heavy with foal, will weigh 1400 pounds each, 11 and 12 years old; Black Horse, 10 years old, weight 1250 pounds; Bay Driving Mare, 7 years old, will weigh 1000 pounds; one Percheron Colt, one year old on the 16th of April, weighing 700 pounds; one pair of Mules, 12 years old, weighing 1100 pounds each; one Cow 7 years old, will be fresh in June, one Cow 5 years old, giving milk; one Durham Heifer, giving milk; Four Brood Sows, darroco all bred; one registered darroco male, one McCormick Grass Mower, Osborne Disc Harrow, Superior Grain Drill, good as new; Black Hawk Corn Planter, Brown sulky corn plow, Deere Corn Plow, two spike-tooth harrows, spring-tooth harrow, grass seeder, three breaking plows, feed cooker, Auburn farm wagon and bed, top buggy, hay rack, two sets of work harness, single set of driving harness, about 500 bushels of corn, steel range, three heating stoves, two bedsteads, one new, one cupboard and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—On all sums of \$10.00 and under the cash will be required; over that amount a credit of four months will be given on bankable note with approved security with interest from day of sale.

P. M. RADABAUGH.

## Attorney's Sale

OF VALUABLE

## Farm Property

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from Sutton A. Pottee and wife to Laura P. Fitzgerald, dated the 19th day of February, 1910, and recorded among the Land Records of Somerset County, Maryland, in Liber S. F. D., No. 51, folios 524 et seq., default having been made in the payment and covenants of said mortgage, the undersigned, attorney named therein, will sell at public auction, in front of the Court House Door, in Princess Anne, Maryland, on

Tuesday, April 16th, 1912

at about the hour of 1.30 p. m., all that farm, tract or tracts of land whereon Herman Pottee now resides, known as part of "The Clover Field Tract," situate in East Princess Anne Election District, in said Somerset county, and on the County road leading from Princess Anne to "Anderson's Bridge," and adjoining the land owned or recently owned by Ernest P. Dryden, Marion D. Barnes and others, and containing

180 1-4 Acres,

more or less, and being the same land conveyed to the said Sutton A. Pottee, by William J. Scott and wife and Joseph G. Scott and wife by deed dated January 24th, 1908, and recorded among said Land Records in Liber S. F. D. No. 48, folios 123 et seq.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash, as prescribed by said mortgage, but more liberal arrangements for payments can be made by purchaser by application to the undersigned.

GEORGE H. MYERS,  
Attorney.

## EASTER OPENING

—AND—

Special Exhibit of the New Spring  
Styles for Women and Children

AT DICKINSON'S

Wednesday and Thursday,

March 27th and 28th

On these days it will be our purpose to show our immense stock of goods without importuning you too strongly to buy. We hope for the attendance of everyone interested, who desires to be well informed concerning the dominant fashions for Spring and Summer 1912.

You are Invited—Everybody is Invited, to this our Most Brilliant of all Spring Openings

Our Easter Display of Coat Suits, Skirts and Waists is very interesting

Our new spring suits are decidedly in advance of the spring styles now being shown and embody the newest fashion touches which will mark the correct late spring and summer models. The materials include whipcords and serges in plain and fancy trimmed effects in the newest spring shades.

## In Waists

we offer a wide range of models from the plain tailored to the elaborately trimmed.

## House Dresses

neat, pretty and sensible. We invite thorough and critical inspection.

## New Underwear

A splendid line of muslin, cambric and nainsook underwear all neatly made and attractively trimmed with lace and embroideries. All widths—all prices.

Opening Exhibition of Millinery. Hats to suit every individual taste

Our hats this season are full of distinction, they are chic, they are above all becoming and offered to you at sensible prices. The offerings this season will be characterized by masterpieces of American and European designs. Our Milliners have reached the climax of beauty in these attractive spring and summer creations. The new "Derby" will be on display. Also the "1890" and "Envelope" models.

## Mourning Millinery a Specialty

Also a splendid showing of Misses and Children's Easter Hats.

## Opening Display of Laces and Embroideries

Surely the adorning of a lingerie waist or dress was never simpler or pleasanter than this spring with such a wealth of new, dainty, embroideries of every description from which to make a selection.

## INVITATION

Your presence is requested on one or both of the above dates—We want you to acquaint yourself with what is newest and best for Spring and Summer 1912. Polite and attentive salespeople will be in attendance and will gladly answer all questions without any obligation on your part to buy. For the entertainment of all visitors

## SPECIAL MUSIC WILL BE RENDERED

from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Ladies' Waiting Room, in rear of Cloak Room is at your service. . . .

## New Spring And Summer Dress Goods

Embracing Novelty Suitings, San Toy, Serges, Marquisesettes, French Gingham, Colored Lines, Wonder Silks, Holly Batiste, Embroidered Batistes, Ratine, Cotton Voiles, in plain, stripe and bordered.

## Rain Coats

The New Rubberized Rain Coats are particularly fetching, all sizes, from \$4.50 to \$12.50.

## New Silks For Easter.

An elaborate showing of Foulards, Messalines, Soft Taffetas, in every new weave, design and color that fashion demands for evening and street wear. Prices range from 50 cents to \$1.50 yard.

## An Unusual Display of Furniture

We are ready to present for your inspection the new designs in Furniture, which comprises everything needed for any home. We also direct your attention to our new line of Mattings, Rugs, Curtains and General House Furnishings.

Wool Fibre Rugs (36x64) Price, \$1.00.

Wool Fibre Druggets (9x12) Price, \$8.50.

## Splendid Line of Notions

Gloves, Silk Hose, Handkerchiefs, etc.

Taffeta Underskirts, from \$2.75 to \$10.00.

Messaline Underskirts, all colors, from \$2.25 to \$5.75.

Wednesday and Thursday, March 27 and 28

W. S. DICKINSON &amp; SON,

(Dress Goods, Notions, Carpets, Furniture, Wall Paper and Millinery, China and Cut Glass,

POCOMOKE CITY,

MARYLAND

Attorney's Sale  
OF VALUABLE  
Real Estate

Under and by virtue of the power and authority, contained in a purchase money lien, given by Margaret L. Bruce to William E. Walton, said lien being among the covenants of a deed between the said Bruce of the one part, and the said Walton and wife of the other part dated the 17th day of Nov. 1910, and recorded among the Land Records of Somerset County, Maryland, in Liber S. F. D., No. 55, folios 459, etc., default having been made in the payments and covenants provided in said lien, the undersigned, attorney named therein, will sell at public auction in front of the Court House door, in Princess Anne, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1912, at about the hour of 1.30 p. m., all the following described real estate, situate in Dublin Election District, in Somerset County, and more particularly described, as follows:

First—All that lot or parcel of land, situate near Costen Station, adjoining the laods owned or recently owned by John L. Paradee, Huett Costen and the late Elizabeth Dryden, and also adjoining the right of way of the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad Company, and containing

133 ACRES,

more or less, and being the same land which was conveyed unto the said William E. Walton by Noah W. McGee and wife, by deed dated the 23rd day of January, 1909, and recorded among the land records of said Somerset county in Liber S. F. D., No. 50, folios 213, etc.

Second—Also all that lot or parcel of land situate and lying on the County Road leading from Costen Station to Wellington, and containing

44 1-2 ACRES

of land, more or less, which is particularly described, by courses and distances, metes and bounds, in a deed unto said William E. Walton from Robert H. Jordan, dated the 4th day of December, 1909, and recorded among the said land records in Liber S. F. D., No. 53, folio 90, etc.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Title papers at purchaser's expense.

JOSHUA W. MILES,  
Attorney.

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## Financial Statement

Of the Fidelity and Casualty Company, of New York.

Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Total Admitted Assets	10,482,893.48
Total Liabilities	7,587,225.49
Surplus	2,895,667.99

ROBERT F. MADDOX, Agent,  
Princess Anne, Md.

## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## OF MARYLAND

## Order No. 597

In the matter of the Application of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company for Approval and Authorization of the issue by said Company of an increase of its Capital Stock to the amount of \$1,250,000 as a stock dividend to its stockholders for their partial equipment on account of certain expenditures made out of the Company's Surplus net earnings, which but for such expenditure thereof would have been available for dividends.

Before the Public Service Commission of Maryland. Case No. 20.

The above entitled matter being under consideration, it is this 21st day of February, 1912, by the Public Service Commission of Maryland,

Ordered: That the same be, and it is hereby set for hearing at the office of the Commission, Baltimore, Maryland, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27th, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m., provided the applicant causes a copy of this order to be published at least three times before the said 27th day of March, 1912, in some newspaper published in each of the counties of Wicomico, Somerset and Worcester, in the State of Maryland, and also three times before said date of hearing in some daily newspaper published in Baltimore City, Maryland, which has a circulation in the counties aforesaid.

J. W. HERING,  
B. T. FENDALL,  
Commissioners.  
True Copy. Test: Louis M. Duvall, Secretary. 3-5

## Order Nisi.

Edward T. Landon, ex parte, Under power in mortgage from Shadrach Selby.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County. No. 2723, Chancery.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the proceeds thereof made and reported by Edward T. Landon, Assignee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 13th day of April next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper printed in Somerset county once in each of three successive weeks before the 13th day of April next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$100.00.

S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk.

True Copy. Test: S. FRANK DASHIELL, Clerk.

## Auditor's Notice.

Wm. W. D. Kelly vs. Robert Wheatley and others.

No. 2695 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of the property of Gertrude Wheatley, deceased, made and reported by Harry C. Dashiell, trustee, are hereby notified to file their claims with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated according to law, with me on or before the tenth day of April, 1912, as I shall on that day at my office in Princess Anne proceed to distribute the assets of said estate among the persons thereto entitled according to law.

E. D. McMASTER,  
Auditor.

## Auditor's Notice.

In the matter of Sarah D. Ballard, Lunatic.

In the Circuit Court for Somerset County.

All persons interested in the proceeds of the sale of the property of Sarah D. Ballard, Lunatic, made and reported by Henry J. Waters, trustee, are hereby notified to file their claims duly authenticated according to law, with me on or before the first day of April, 1912, as I shall on that day at my office in Princess Anne proceed to distribute the assets of said lunatic according to law.

E. D. McMASTER,  
Auditor.